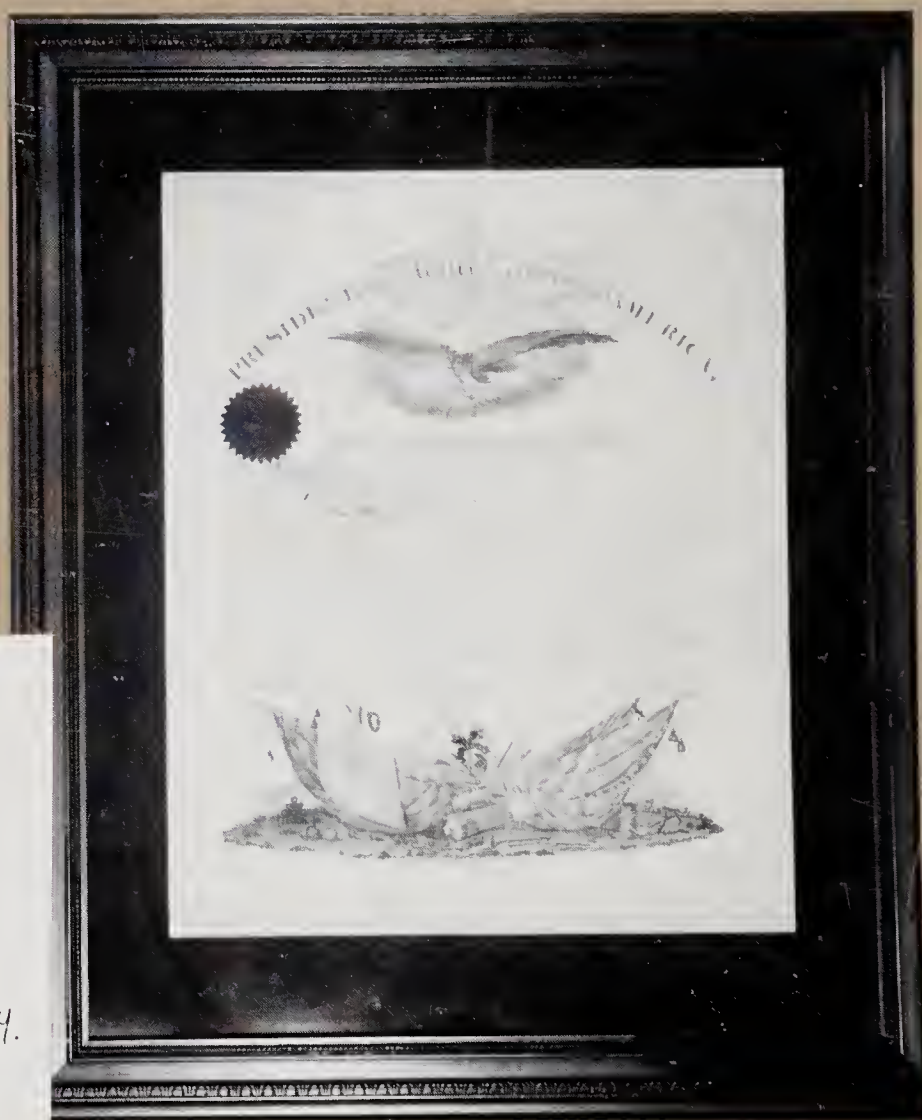
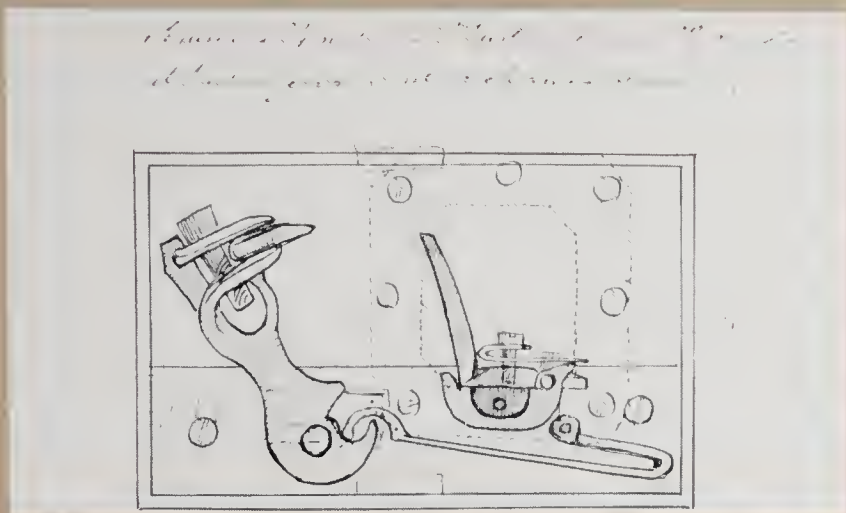


# SPRING '88 ANNUAL AUTOGRAPH AUCTION



Monsieur Beneditto.  
Je m'empresse de répondre  
à votre aimable lettre  
et vous prie de me  
mettre au courant du  
train que vous prendrez pour  
venir à Cannes et de  
l'heure de votre arrivée soit  
à Nice, soit à Antibes,  
pour que j'aille au devant  
de vous.  
Je vous salue avec  
ma tendre affection  
et vous prie d'accepter  
ma dévotion et votre  
dévotion.

meilleures nouvelles.  
Recevez mes amitiés.  
Renoir  
Renoir - à Cannes A. H.  
4 Novembre 1914

Public & Mail Bid  
Auction Sale #71  
APRIL 21, 1988





# Prices Realized Auction #71 April 21, 1988

1	-	\$75	37	-	\$70	76	-	\$55	115	-	\$75	156	-	\$360	156	-	\$90	228	-	\$90	268	-	\$200	329	-	\$65
2	-	\$250	38	-	\$200	77	*	\$600	116	-	\$350	157	-	\$160	197	-	\$100	229	*	\$75	300	-	\$25	340	*	\$40
3	-	\$330	39	-	\$150	78	-	\$30	117	-	\$440	158	-	\$160	198	-	\$85	230	-	\$140	301	-	\$40	341	-	\$75
4	-	\$340	40	-	\$45	79	-	\$125	118	-	\$325	159	-	\$475	199	-	\$45	231	-	\$490	302	-	\$120	342	-	\$100
5	-	\$160	41	-	\$120	80	-	\$220	119	-	\$425	161	-	\$40	200	-	\$55	232	-	\$120	303	-	\$30	343	-	\$20
6	-	\$175	42	-	\$55	81	-	\$3250	121	-	\$290	162	-	\$35	200A	-	\$180	233	-	\$200	304	-	\$50	344	-	\$10
6A	-	\$270	43	-	\$35	82	-	\$7000	123	-	\$475	163	-	\$75	200E	-	\$680	234	-	\$50	305	-	\$30	345	-	\$15
7	-	\$175	44	-	\$55	83	-	\$1000	124	-	\$180	164	-	\$74	200C	-	\$520	235	-	\$110	306	-	\$15	346	-	\$10
8	-	\$600	45	-	\$45	84	-	\$240	125	-	\$75	165	-	\$475	200D	-	\$575	236	-	\$115	307	-	\$30	347	-	\$10
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9	-	\$250	47	-	\$60	86	-	\$575	127	-	\$35	168	-	\$150	200F	-	\$425	238	-	\$250	309	-	\$40	349	-	\$50
10	-	\$80	48	-	\$250	88	-	\$60	128	-	\$400	169	-	\$410	200G	-	\$240	239	-	\$50	310	-	\$25	350	-	\$25
11	-	\$175	49	-	\$200	90	-	\$150	129	-	\$110	170	-	\$90	200H	-	\$400	240	-	\$45	311	-	\$40	351	-	\$10
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21	-	\$400	57A	-	\$125	99	-	\$100	140	-	\$500	179	-	\$150	210	-	\$55	249	-	\$225	321	-	\$30	360	-	\$45
22	-	\$110	58	-	\$200	100	-	\$60	141	-	\$3250	180	-	\$70	211	-	\$130	250	-	\$300	322	-	\$75	361	-	\$55
23	-	\$190	60	-	\$220	101	-	\$300	142	-	\$70	181	-	\$70	212	-	\$55	251	-	\$330	324	-	\$21	362	-	\$10
24	-	\$150	62	-	\$102	102	-	\$50	144	-	\$80	182	-	\$55	214	-	\$270	252	-	\$85	325	-	\$25	362A	-	\$180
25	-	\$120	63	-	\$110	103	-	\$55	145	-	\$200	183	-	\$80	215	-	\$400	253	-	\$105	326	-	\$10	363	-	\$10
26	-	\$100	64	-	\$115	104	-	\$140	146	-	\$325	184	-	\$100	216	-	\$150	254	-	\$55	327	-	\$40	364	-	\$60
27	-	\$260	65	-	\$270	105	-	\$1200	147	-	\$6500	185	-	\$350	217	-	\$530	257	-	\$75	328	-	\$30	365	-	\$45
28	-	\$220	66	-	\$75	106	-	\$250	148	-	\$1900	186	-	\$45	218	-	\$125	258	-	\$475	329	-	\$10	366	-	\$10
29	-	\$170	67	-	\$110	107	-	\$100	149	-	\$4750	187	-	\$225	219	-	\$360	260	-	\$150	330	-	\$45	367	-	\$15
30	-	\$30	69	-	\$55	108	-	\$320	150	-	\$2500	188	-	\$130	221	-	\$300	261	-	\$175	331	-	\$55	368	-	\$55
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32	-	\$160	71	-	\$35	110	-	\$220	151A	-	\$45	191	-	\$120	223	-	\$200	263	-	\$540	333	-	\$50	370	-	\$50
33	-	\$400	72	-	\$550	111	-	\$170	152	-	\$700	192	-	\$55	224	-	\$150	264	-	\$25	334	-	\$160	372	-	\$50
34	-	\$160	73	-	\$80	112	-	\$100	153	-	\$175	193	-	\$575	225	-	\$80	265	-	\$500	335	-	\$10	373	-	\$40
35	-	\$275	74	-	\$250	113	-	\$150	154	-	\$450	194	-	\$140	226	-	\$220	266	-	\$75	336	-	\$30	374	-	\$50
36	-	\$30	75	-	\$75	114	-	\$55	155	-	\$50	195	-	\$440	227	-	\$35	267	-	\$90	338	-	\$31	376	-	\$25

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- 1) A 10% buyers charge will be added to the hammer price of each lot purchased
- 2) All bids are per lot as numbered in this catalog.
- 3) We reserve the right to withdraw any lot prior to sale.
- 4) All successful bidders shall be billed for postage, handling and insurance.
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- 11) Check your bid sheets carefully. We can not assume any responsibility for errors made in the amount bid or lot numbers listed. Make sure your sheet is signed.
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1. Use the attached or enclosed bid sheet. Enter the lot number, then the amount you wish to bid, to the nearest whole dollar.
2. Fill in all other information, sign your bid sheet and mail it as early as possible.

### TELEPHONE BIDDING

1. Call us Toll Free at 800 - 622-1880. NY residents call 212 - 943-1880, or 212 - 908-4006.
2. You must also submit a confirmation of phone bids, in writing.



# PUBLIC SESSION

Thursday, April 21, 1988 — 7:30 P.M.

Lots 1 - 268

1 **ACTORS' SIGNED CONTRACTS.** (\$125-200)

Documents signed. Cliff Arquette, George Jessel, Irene Ryan, and Laurene Tuttle signatures on individual contracts signed with Rudy Vallee. Documents are also signed by Vallee and relate to personal appearances on his radio show. Four signed contracts of 5 well-known performers. Also included a photo of Rudy Vallee. **Fine. 5 pcs.** [5]

2 **ADAMS, JOHN QUINCY, 1767-1848.** (\$120-150)

Sixth President of the U.S., son of John Adams. Autograph note 2 1/2" x 8", "Feb. 7, 1/2 past 10 A.M.", written by Adams as Representative of Congress, 1831-48, "Should any other member of the Committee of Manufacturers appear, Mr. Adams will be found in the committee room of the Committee of Post-officers and Post roads." **Fine.**

3 **ADAMS, JOHN QUINCY, 1767-1848.** (\$300-450)

6th President of the United States. Land grant certificate, signed "J.Q. Adams", as President. Partly printed, one page, oblong folio on vellum, Washington, D.C., December 1, 1826. Countersigned by George Graham, Commissioner of General Land Office, grant to Joseph Hughes of tract of land "offered for sale at 'Tuskaloosa', Alabama, containing eighty acres...". With white seal of U.S. General Land Office. Some age toning and usual folds, else a clean, attractive document with dark signature and handwriting. Framed, and acid-free matted!

4 **ADAMS, SAMUEL, 1722-1803.** (\$250-350)

Signer of Declaration of Independence from Massachusetts; delegate to first and second Continental Congresses; Governor of Mass., 1794-97. DS, as governor, one page, folio, July 22, 1796. Countersigned by John Avery. To the Selectmen of Richmond (Mass.) Calling for a vote: "... for one Representative, that is an Inhabitant of the said District to represent them in the Congress of the United States of America". An interesting document defining how a Congressman was elected in the 1700's. Seal split and some foxing. Tears at top edge, otherwise very good appearance. With engraving of Adams. **2 pcs.** [2]

5 **ADDAMS, JANE, 1860-1935.** (\$150-250)

Leading American Suffragist and Sociologist who founded Hull House in Chicago in 1889. Awarded Nobel Peace Prize. Signed photo, 6 1/2" x 10 1/2", image area 3 1/2 x 6, sepia, signed on lower white margin of photo. "Faithfully yours, Jane Addams". Pristine.

6 **ALI, MUHAMMAD. (Photo)** (\$100-150)

Former world boxing champion. First winner of **Athlete of the Decade Award**, outstanding honor bestowed on Ali at formal dinner, June 8, 1978. Complete copy of dinner program, 4to, signed in full by Ali on full-page montage of his fight pictures. Signed on white margin, mint condition excellent for framing.

6A **ARTHUR, CHESTER ALAN, 1830-1886.** (\$325-450)

21st President U.S. D.S., oblong folio, as president. Naval Commission for George E. Burd as Assistant Engineer (Ensign). July 20, 1882. Fancy engraved form on parchment by ABN; endorsed at the left by W.E. Chandler, Secretary of Navy; also, former U.S. Senator. The lower corners are clipped; three corners are stained especially at the bottom left, otherwise a very good Presidential commission.

7 **ARTISTS' AUTOGRAPHS.** (\$300-400)

Jamie Wyeth (signed exhibition catalog); Jasper Johns (signed exhibition catalog); Elaine de Koonig (signed 4-color folder); Robert Rauschenberg (signed reproduction of his painting, 5"x7", B & W); Paul Cadmus (5"x7" 4-color reproduction, signed on verso); ERTE, (autograph note signed). Some are inscribed. **Very Fine. 6 pcs.** [6]

8 **ASTOR, JOHN JACOB, 1763-1848.**  
**FUR TRADER ASKS FOR WASHINGTON AID.**  
**(Photo)** (\$1,000-1,800)

German-American fur trader and financier. Autograph letter signed, to a Washington Representative. A superb letter pleading for relief for his fur business. "The Committee on Indian Affairs have made Report & Recommended a bill for dutys on foreign furs & when it comes up in your house you will use your best endeavors to get in thru this Session." Scarce.

8A **ASTOR, JOHN JACOB / CLINTON, DEWITT.** (\$1,000-Up)

DS, partly printed, **John Jacob Astor**, fur trader and financier, and **DeWitt Clinton**, as Mayor of New York City, 12 mo, oblong, May 3, 1813, payment to Astor for \$30 (by the order of the Common Council of N.Y.C.) "...Rent for watch house..." Signed by DeWitt Clinton, as Mayor, and endorsed by John Jacob Astor on verso, with his splendid paraph autograph. Flawless, with only traces of aging. A fine example of Astor's scarce signature.

9 **ASTOR, WILLIAM B, [JOHN JACOB ASTOR], 1792-1875.**  
(\$100-150)

William Backhouse Astor inherited both the estate and reputation of America's richest man from his father, John Jacob. DS, small folio. In this mortgage agreement that he signed, he represented his father as attorney. Signed "**John Jacob Astor, By Wm. B. Astor, his attorney**", it deals with a real estate transaction that his father negotiated in New York City, of the kind that built his huge fortune. A fine association document of the two famous Astors.

10 **AUTOGRAPHED \$2 BILLS.** (\$100-150)

Three crisp \$2 bills, series 1953, 1953A, 1953B; each is personally autographed above their printed signatures: **Ivy Baker Priest**, Treasurer of the U.S. (2); **George Humphrey**, Secretary of Treasury; **Elizabeth Smith**, Treasurer of the U.S.; and **C. Douglas Dillon**, Secretary of Treasury. A unique group of brand new \$2 bills, signed boldly by the treasury officials. **Fine. 3 items.** [3]

11 **BARBE-MARBOIS, MARQUIS [JAMES MONROE], 1745-1837.** (\$175-300)

Minister of Finance under Napoleon (1801) who negotiated sale of Louisiana to the U.S. Manuscript letter signed, on imprinted Treasury stationery. 1 page legal folio. Paris, February 20, 1804 to **Robert R. Livingston**. Minister Plenipotentiary of the U.S. to France. In French. Barbe-Marbois encloses (not present) a letter he has written to **James Monroe** and requests that Livingston forward it to him. Very good association of famous names. **Fine.**

12 **BEN-GURION, DAVID, 1886-1973.** ★(\$300-400)

Israeli statesman and patriot. First Prime Minister of the country. Typed letter signed in Hebrew (with full translation), 8vo, March 30, 1955, one page. As Minister of Defense on official stationery, Ben-Gurion writes to Prof. Joshua Leibovitz of the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, in which he strongly disagrees with the professor on his recent article on Religion and State. In part, "Who and where can we find the expert who will tell us what is the limit of the Jewish People in regard to its protective future...The expert will tell us how to do it from the technical point of view but we shall not ask him whether it is a worthwhile goal... but the target must be created by the strong will of our people. Only the strength of our national ambition will determine shape the size and nature of our actions, to meet these challenges." Letter also refers to the Negev Desert, which at that time was under-developed. Inspired content by the great Israeli leader. With 2 file holes on blank white margin, it is overall in excellent condition.



13 **BARNUM, PHINEAS TAYLOR, 1810-1891.** (\$300-Up)

American showman. Autograph letter signed, 8vo. Bridgeport (Conn.) March 16, 1849. "Friend Beach I shall expect you here Saturday afternoon & no mistakes." Lists oil, candles and other supplies. Split at fold otherwise fine. Opened "The Greatest Show on Earth", imported Jumbo, the huge African elephant for his circus and brought the famous signer, Jenny Lind, to the United States for a concert tour.

14 **BIDWELL, JOHN, 1819-1900.** ★(\$100-200)

Organized Western Emigration Society, promoting the first public wagon train west to California, 1842. Later joined John C. Fremont in the revolt to declare California's independence from Mexico. Amassed fortune during gold rush years; ran for president in 1890, losing on a 3rd party ticket. Stock certificate, signed by Bidwell as president of the "Chico Gold to Silver Mining Co., of Chico, California". Vignette of ore cars and refining mill. B & W, original cut in sheets and into individual stocks. Trimmed close to lower border, else fine. Also a copy of an early article by Bidwell, "The First Emigrant Train to California". 2 pcs. [2]

15 **BOWDOIN, JAMES, 1726-1790. 1776 WAR LETTER. (Photo)** (\$800-1200)

American Revolutionary leader. Governor of Massachusetts. Bowdoin College named in his honor. Letter signed, Boston, December 20, 1776 to Honorable Nich. Cook, Esq. Excellent war letter of historic date authorizing supplies in the name of and behalf of the Council of Massachusetts Bay "...to be employed as if possible to drive the Enemy from your State".

16 No Lot.

## BRITISH ROYALTY

The following holographic examples of British Royalty, beginning with King George I through Queen Elizabeth II, (Lots #17 through #35) are from a single consignor in New York City. He began assembling this fine collection in the early 1970's. Each piece was carefully selected for him by some of the outstanding autograph dealers in the United States & Great Britain. Each item is accompanied by an engraved portrait of the subject. All are professionally matted and framed in unusually attractive formats.

17 **GEORGE I, GEORGE LOUIS, 1660-1727.** (\$400-600)

King of Great Britain and Ireland, 1714-1727. Succeeded to throne on death of Queen Anne. Married Sophia Dorothea in 1682. Document signed, one page, oblong folio(vellum) St. James, 16 February 1715/6 appointing Benjamin Willington "to be Ensign of that Company whereof John Eyres Esq. is Captain in the Regiment of Foot to be forthwith Raised for Our Service under the command of Our Trusty Welbeloved Morrice Nassau Esq." Also signed by James, 1st Earl Stanhope, Secretary of State for the Southern Department. Wax seal is mostly missing. Signatures & writing are very clear. Framed & matted with attractive color portrait of George I. Over all frame size: 14 1/2" x 22".

18 **SOPHIA DOROTHEA, PRINCESS, 1666-1726.** (\$300-500)

Queen of King George I. Married in 1682 to George Louis, Crown Prince of Hanover, who became King George I of England. Her marriage was annulled in 1694 and she was imprisoned for 32 years in the Castle of Ahlden. Handwritten document signed, April 11, 1680, folio, in German, (not translated) on both sides of single page, double framed, with vintage engraved portrait of Sophia, over-all framed size 18" x 22". Fine.

19 **GEORGE II, GEORGE AUGUSTUS, 1683-1760.** (\$200-300)

King George of Great Britain, 1727-1760, son of George I, married Caroline of Anspach, 1705. Document signed by George II, oblong folio, vellum, June 23, 1743, with royal seal and tax stamp both intact. Appointment of Thomas Murray, Esq. "Colonel of our Regiment of Foot lately commanded by our Trusty and welbeloved Colonel John Price ..." Also signed by Carteret, as Prime Minister and Secretary of War, Phil. Baker. Double matted and framed, with engraving of George II. 24" x 29". Fine condition.

20 **CAROLINE, QUEEN OF GEORGE II, 1683-1737.** (\$200-300)

Wilhelmina Charlotte Caroline of Brandenburg Anspach. Document signed "Caroline R.C.R.", while Regent in her husband's absence, app. 18" x 11", n.d. (C.1735). Authorizing the charges of His Majesty's Garrison, including Berwick, Cinq Ports, Edinburgh Castle, Dartmouth, etc. Also signed by the Duke of Rutland, Earl Dorset and T. Robinson. Payments are neatly itemized for Governor, Lt. Governor, Military officers, etc. of each of the Garrisons. A fine, clean document attractively framed with color portrait of Caroline. Overall 22" x 21" double framed for visibility of both sides of document.

21 **GEORGE III, GEORGE WM. FREDERICK, 1738-1820.** (\$250-400)

King of Great Britain, 1760-1820, grandson of George II, married Charlotte Sophia of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, 1761. Document signed, folio, fine signature in upper left corner with perfect royal seal, dated May 23, 1804. A proclamation to the loyal subjects of the County of Kent, authorizing the granting of Commissions in the name of King George III to Officers of Yeomanry, Cavalry Infantry. Given at the Court of St. James. Framed and double matted with portrait of George III. Overall framed: 20" x 21".

22 **CHARLOTTE SOPHIA, 1744-1818.** (\$250-400)

Queen of George III, who reigned 1760-1820. Letter signed, in German, to her cousin, Ernst Friedrich Carl, Duke of Saxe-Hildburghausen. 1 1/2 pp. folio, with integral address leaf and seal. St. James, Jan. 15, 1762. Formal letter in which she sends congratulations to the Duke and Duchess on the birth of their daughter, consenting to be her godmother and hoping the little Princess will grow up with all the virtues. Small panel cut where opened. The first line of the letter beginning Charlotte von Gottes is written in large letters in elaborate handwriting.

23 **GEORGE IV, GEORGE AUGUSTUS FREDERICK, 1762-1830. (Photo)** (\$200-400)

King, 1820-1830, son of George III, married his cousin Caroline of Brunswick, 1795. Document signed, horizontal folio, partly printed, and signed in upper left corner by George with fine royal seal and tax stamp. A royal commission appointing a "Hospital Assistant to the our force" to receive orders from "the Commander in Chief of our Forces for the time being." December 15, 1825. Also signed by the Secretary of War. Double matted, with fine oval portrait of George IV. Overall frame size: 14 1/2" x 23 1/2".

24 **CAROLINE OF BRUNSWICK, 1768-1821.** (\$350-500)

Queen of King George IV, who reigned 1820-1830. On his coronation day in 1821, she was forcibly excluded from Westminster Hall. Autograph letter signed "C", followed by initial (possibly a 'Q'), one page, 4to, Turin, May 1, 1820, no addressee. "I have been in bed during five days with a most painful Rhumatique complain ... but I am still on the Road" ... (she writes about her physician's observations) ... "I am perfectly miserable to find I am not able to keep my word to be at this Period in England ... your Sincere friend." She died the following year, 1821. A fine letter with an early engraved portrait.

25 **WILLIAM IV, 1765-1837.** (\$200-350)

King of Great Britain & Ireland, 1830-1837, 3rd son of George III, married Adelaide of Saxe-Meiningen, 1818. Document signed by William IV in upper left hand corner, vellum, appointing William Davies Smith, Esq. a Captain in the Corps of Royal Engineers, oblong folio, December 31, 1830, at the Court of St. James. In the first year of the King's reign. Ornately double matted in silk with portrait of William IV. Overall framed: 18" x 27".

26 **ADELAIDE OF SAXE-MEININGEN, 1792-1849. (Photo)** (\$250-400)

Consort of King William IV, 1830-1837; daughter of Duke of Saxe-Meiningen, she had no children. ALS, signed "Ad" to her sister the Duchess of Gloucester. 1 page, inlaid, n.d., asking her sister how she was and saying she would be coming to see her, with the King, and hoping she was better. With holograph envelope cover and portrait engraving. Letter and portrait each are 7 1/2" x 5" and cover, 3" x 4 1/2". All 3 items are attractively matted and framed, overall, 17" x 16".

27 **VICTORIA, ALEXANDRINA VICTORIA, 1819-1901.** (\$350-500)

Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, 1837-1901. Only child of George III's fourth son, Edward, Duke of Kent. Succeeded Uncle, King William IV. Married Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, 1840. Document signed "Victoria", with royal seal in upper left hand corner, December 4, 1899, in the 66th year of her reign. Signature of "Salisbury", in lower right corner. Partly printed document in which Victoria sends greetings: "The President of the Republic of Peru has by a Commission ... appointed William Wheatly to be Consul at Sheffield, etc ..." The document, 11" x 15", is accompanied by a contemporary photo of a standing queen, 6 1/2" x 5 1/2". Both are professionally double-matted in attractive gold frame, overall, 17" x 25". Fine.





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Boston Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 1776

Sir  
The Council have Received your favour  
of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst. & agreeable to your Request have  
given Orders to the Commissary General of this  
State to supply Mr. Jonathan Draper with Two  
hundred & fifty Axes, Two hundred & fifty Iron  
Shovels, Fifty Narrow Axes & twenty Crow Bars  
for the use of the Troops in your State  
they will be charged to the State of Rhode  
Island. We heartily wish that they may  
be so employed as, if possible, to drive the Enemy  
from your State

In the Name & behalf of the Council  
I am Sir Your most Obedt  
Humble Serv<sup>t</sup>  
James Bowdoin

Hon<sup>ble</sup> Nick Cook Esq<sup>r</sup>

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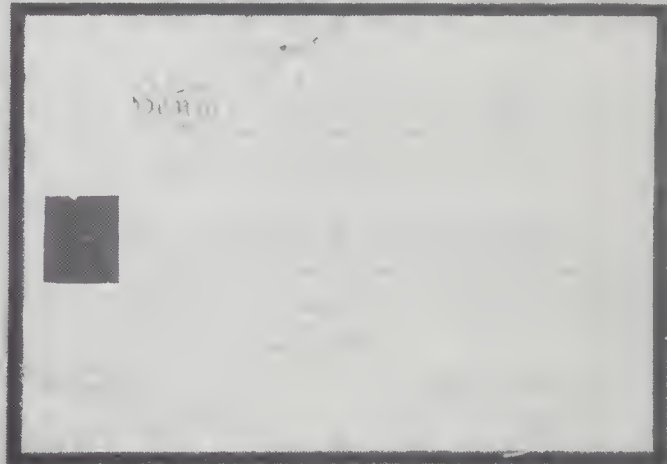
7 Dec 20 1776

My Dear Sir

I did the committee on foreign Affairs  
have made Report & recommended, to  
Duties on foreign goods - which I have will  
have paid the duties & that when it comes in  
to your house you will use your best  
endeavors to get it there this I fear  
for I think the trade can not be sustained  
without some thing being done by Congress  
& the trying only on your is the way  
Simple & most efficient measure that  
can now be adopted & by which the trade  
may sustain it self till we get back  
what we have lost or rather what some  
of our good men have given away in the

proposed in the bill - now under consideration  
and I beg your attention to it before  
we are in the  
hurry of passing it  
Yours truly  
John Jay

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- 28 **ALBERT, PRINCE, 1819-1861.** (\$250-400)  
 Prince Consort, husband of Queen Victoria. Son of the Duke of Saxe-Coburg Gotha. An active patron of the arts and sciences. Letter signed, "Albert, President of the Royal Commission", Windsor Castle, October 31, 1851, one page folio, addressed to Ashbel Smith. He notifies Smith that as President of the Royal Commission for the Exhibition of 1851, he has the honor to transmit to Smith a medal that has been struck off by the order of the Commissioners in Commemoration of the valuable services rendered to the Exhibition by Mr. Smith. Two small breaks at right margin are indiscernible. Matted and framed with profile engraving of Prince Albert from a photograph of O.G. Reylander. Overall frame size: 17" x 19".
- 29 **EDWARD VII, ALBERT EDWARD, 1841-1910.** (\$300-500)  
 King of Great Britain and Ireland, 1901-1910. Eldest son of Queen Victoria, whom he succeeded to the throne. Married Alexandra of Denmark, 1863. ALS, 8vo, on royal letterhead, Sandringham, Norfolk, Dec. 5, 1890 to a Mr. Joshen: "I was delighted to receive your letter of the 4th Inst. with the welcome news that the Treasury will give an annual grant for the Royal College of Music. Believe Me, Sincerely yours (signed) Albert Edward". Double matted, beside bust engraving of Edward VII in full military regalia. A handsome framed letter and portrait, overall: 13" x 16".
- 30 **ALEXANDRA, OF DENMARK, 1844-1925.** (\$200-400)  
 Queen of Edward VII, eldest daughter of Christian IX of Denmark. ALS, signed "Alexandra", on royal stationery of Marlborough House, n.d. 8 vo, 2 page on single sheet. Alexandra writes Mr. Holzmaier requesting him to arrange with Mr. Wood for a meeting at 12:30 in the morning in which she asks him to let her know as soon as possible, if it can be arranged, etc. With attractive full color portrait. Both letter and portrait are matted and double-framed for visibility of both sides of the letter.
- 31 **GEORGE V, FREDERICK ERNEST ALBERT, 1865-1936.** (\$175-250)  
 King of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and Emperor of India, 1910-1936. Son of Edward VII. Became heir apparent on death of older brother. Married Princess Victoria. Striking full color waist length portrait of George V in medal-bedecked military uniform, 8" x 5" above his royal signature. Both signature and portrait are each handsomely double matted in a gilt frame, 17" x 11".
- 32 **MARY OF TECK, QUEEN OF GEORGE V, 1867-1953.** (\$300-450)  
 Princess Victoria, Mary of Teck, married the future King George V in 1893. Period of reign, 1910-1936. Signed photo, as Queen Mary, in royal gown and jewelry. Full length and signed clearly across light portion of her gown. Photo is 6" x 4" and is framed and double matted. Overall: 11" x 9". **Fine.**
- 33 **EDWARD VIII, 1894-1972. (Photo)** (\$300-500)  
 King of Great Britain and Ireland, January 20 to December 11, 1936. Eldest son of George V and Queen Mary. Abdicated to marry Mrs. Wallis Simpson, June 1937. After abdication he became Edward, Duke of Windsor. Photo signed at bottom, "Edward P", with notations in his hand, "Easton Grey, 7-1-23 on "Brown Bread". An original photo showing Edward, as Prince of Wales, on his horse, apparently preparing for a fox hunt. Double matted and framed: 15" x 12".
- 34 **GEORGE VI, 1895-1952 / ELIZABETH, THE QUEEN MOTHER.** (\$250-350)  
 King of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (1936-52) and emperor of India (1936-48); son of George V. Married Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, 1923. Christmas Card, signed by George VI and Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, 1950. Opened to display fine signatures and date with sepia photo, in Scotland, of the royal couple and the two princess. Matted and framed: 10" x 18". **Fine.**
- 35 **ELIZABETH II / PRINCE PHILIP.** (\$300-500)  
 Queen of the United Kingdom and Head of the Commonwealth, 1952. Daughter of George VI and Queen Elizabeth. Christmas card, signed by Elizabeth and Philip, dated 1968, opened at center to display large signatures and date beside a lovely color photo of the royal couple with their four children in the palace grounds. Display area of card, 6" x 16 1/2", is matted and framed. Overall: 11 1/2" x 21 1/2". Mint condition.
- 36 **BRITISH KING EDWARD VII (ALBERT), 1841-1910.** (\$150-250)  
 "The Peacemaker", eldest son of Queen Victoria, he reigned from 1901-1910. He brought active participation in public life to the British crown. Died of heart failure and succeeded by his second son, as George V. Autograph letter signed "Albert Edward", 8vo, 3pp, July 27, 1882. He writes to General, the Lord Walesley, thanking him for his telegram about his brother's health. In part, "... I think, he will be all the better the sea voyage ...". He expresses his concern that his correspondent not absent himself from the household in case one of them fell ill and they would be without anyone. With his holograph envelope and a colorful embossed royal seal on verso. A fine example.
- 37 **KING EDWARD VII, 1841-1910.** (\$100-200)  
 British King (1901-1910), son of Queen Victoria, ANS. Penciled French Telegram form (probably pre-1901) when Edward was Prince of Wales. Addressed to the Duchess of Teck, the mother-in-law of Edward's son, King George V and Mother of Queen Mary, it reads: "Villa Clementine Cannes. Better come by 9.45 train get out at Monaco where carriage will meet you. Better return by 9.26 from Monte Carlo." Edward frequently visited France for pleasure; the financially embarrassed Tecks, a Codet branch of the Wurtemberg royal family resided in France to evade their creditors.
- 38 **CAMBRIDGE, DUKE OF (ALDOLFUS FREDERICK), 1774-1850. Recruitment for the Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards.** (\$250-400)  
 The Duke, was the 7th son of George III, British Field Marshall and military hero, who commanded the famous Coldstream Guards. *Two autograph letters signed*, correspondence between Cambridge and Lt. Col. Ingles, commanding the Edinburgh Militia, 4to, London and Manchester, December 1812. ALS, 1 page, 12-17-1812, Cambridge requests Ingles to seek volunteers, "... the Regiment of Militia under your command has not yet furnished its complement of volunteers ... use your influence with your men to volunteer into the Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards. You may depend upon every attention being paid by me ... in favor of those who should be anxious to join my regiment ...". Ingles ALS to the Duke, 2pp, 12-19-1812 answers that he "shall use every influence in my power ... to induce them to volunteer ...". With the original holograph envelope from the Duke of Cambridge; a scarce free-franked cover, bearing a franking hand-stamped royal wax seal (intact). All 3 of these items, with early British military significance, are in perfect condition.
- 39 **BARUCH, BERNARD M., 1870-1965. (Photo)** (\$100-150)  
 Financier, public official. During his lifetime, he was an advisor to the Presidents of the U.S. from Woodrow Wilson's administration. Photo, signed, 10" x 8", full color, signed on white lower margin beneath excellent half-length portrait of a seated Baruch. With envelope. 2 pcs. [2]
- 40 **BARUCH, BERNARD, 1870-1965.** (\$75-125)  
 TLS, on personal stationery, 4to, September 1956. One page. A friendly letter, signed in full, with a 4-line, holograph "P.S.", initialed. Letter to Mrs. C.V. Whitney, society matron. **Fine.**
- 41 **BIDDLE, NICHOLAS, 1786-1844.** (\$75-Up)  
 American Financier. Appointed by President Monroe as director Bank of the United States, later becoming president of the bank. Fine portrait engraving of a young Biddle after the painting by Thomas Sully. Engraved by Samuel Cousins from a private plate; with printed signature at bottom. 15 1/2" x 12" matted to 21 1/2" x 18". **Fine.**
- 42 **BRYAN, WILLIAM JENNINGS, 1860-1925.** †(\$90-125)  
 Three times nominated for Presidency and a three-time loser. As Secretary of State, he resigned from Wilson's cabinet after objecting to the President's non-pacifist attitude re sinking of Lusitania. TLS, 1 page, 4to, as Sect'y of State, April 1, 1915, Washington. A very religious man, he writes in part, "... I am glad to note that you are taking the matter up in your Sunday school. The subject of total abstinence ought to be brought up before all our sundayschools (sic). A few years ago I represented a similar pledge to the Sunday school in the little country church which we attended in Nebraska, and out of 113 there were 109 who signed a pledge similar to the one which is being circulated by the National Abstainers Union ...". (signed) W.J. Bryan. Some soiling, with 2 tears at creases and tape on verso. **Very Fine** content.





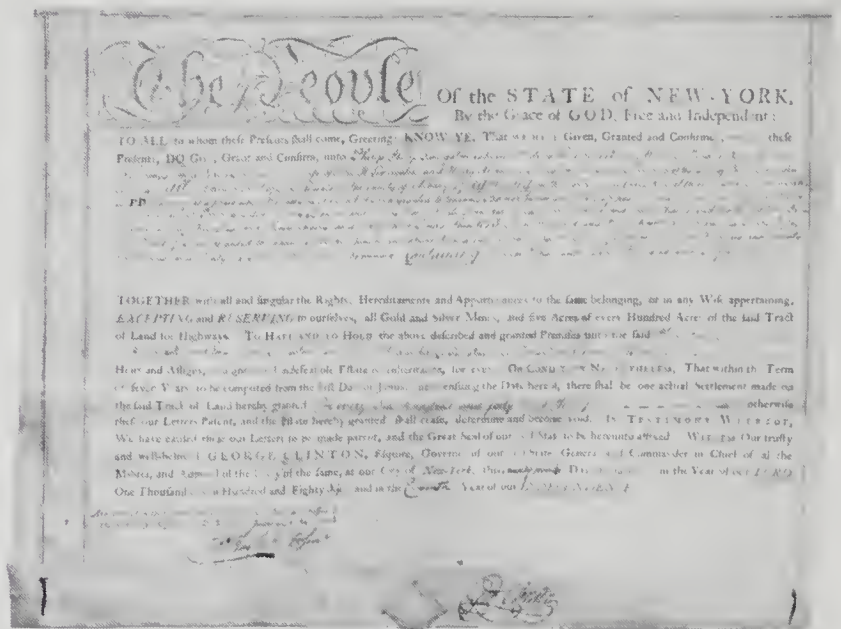
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- 43 **BURKE, EDWARD A., 1840-1928.** (\$50-100)  
Signed check, State National Bank, New Orleans, July 2, 1879, by Edward Burke, as State Treasurer. A Louisiana carpetbagger, Burke later helped to efface the Compromise of 1877, ending Reconstruction. He was a dominant political figure in Louisiana during 1880's. Also, publisher of the New Orleans "Times Democrat", he was ousted from political office as state treasurer in a party reform movement. In 1889, he was caught embezzling state funds totalling \$1,000,000 and was indicted. He fled to the Honduras where he lived comfortably until his death. A fine example of a Burke check, while Louisiana Treasurer.
- 44 **BURRIAN KARL, 1870-1924.** (\$250-300)  
Heroic tenor. Postcard photo signed. Member of Metropolitan Opera and other acclaimed companies. Costumed as Herod, the role he created in the Richard Strauss opera, "Salome," based on Oscar Wilde's poem. Premiere in Dresden, December 9, 1905. "Burrian," wrote Sir Arnold Box, "created a quite horrifying Herod, slobbering with lust, and apparently almost decomposing before our disgusted but fascinated eyes." Expertly framed.
- 45 **CABINET MEMBERS, U.S. Henry Kissinger; Caspar Weinberger; Peter Petersen; James Webb; Jim Watt; Walter Hickel; and Robert MacNamara.** (\$100-150)  
7 items, in color and black & white 10" x 8". Fine. [7]
- 46 **CABINET MEMBERS, U.S.** (\$100-150)  
Signed photos (4-color and B & W): James Baker III; William Bennett; Harold Brown; Bill Brock; Wm. Blumenthal; James B. Edwards; Elizabeth Dole; approximately 10" x 8". James Edwards is inscribed. Fine lot of 7 photos.
- 47 **CARLYLE, THOMAS, 1795-1881.** (\$125-175)  
Scottish essayist and historian who wrote epic, "French Revolution." ALS, A humorous letter, (lacking a small section) to his brother in America, 12-23-1854, 2 pages, oblong 24 mo, signed "T. Carlyle." In his small, concise handwriting, in part, "... I know not what use I could ever have of this old brown, crabbed Parson's ledger; I sent it off to (Edward) Everett in Boston by Lawrence, the Painter; have Everett, with due solemnity, take charge of it, burn it if he doesn't, etc ..." Interesting content.
- 48 **CARNEGIE, ANDREW, 1835-1919.** (\$200-300)  
American industrialist, philanthropist, who merged Carnegie Steel and U.S. Steel in 1901. ALS, Dungenes, GA., March 19, 1887, Quarto, 1 1/2 pages. Carnegie uses his tactful power of persuasion in a letter to John Champlin: "Am so sorry to hear that you have been ill ... You need a few weeks Coaching this Summer ... If you will join me and act as Commander-in-Chief as before, your place is open ... you need recuperation I am sure and here's your chance - Mrs. Champlin will no doubt let you go if you are not well. She's an angel under such conditions." (signed) "Andrew Carnegie". "P.S. ... see you in New York before very long ..." (initialed by Carnegie). Letter, with interesting content, is written in pencil on light grey paper. Also, a copy of Carnegie's book, "Notes of a Trip Round the World," N.Y., 1879, privately printed. A presentation copy to John Champlin, recipient of the letter and author with Carnegie of "Chronicle of the Coach." Book contains 7-line inscription in ink by Carnegie. Excellent association of Carnegie ALS with his inscribed book. Some small edge tears on the letter do not affect the fine content. 2 items (2).
- 49 **CARROLL OF CARROLLTON, CHAS., 1737-1832.** †(\$150-250)  
**SIGNER**, revolutionary statesman, member Committee of Correspondence and Continental Congress. DS, large folio, 4pp, Ann Arundel County, MD, 1817. Indenture among Carroll, Johnson, and Caton, concerning land purchases, signed by each; acknowledged by Walter Dorsey, Chief judge. Browned in folds, somewhat affecting several letters of "Carroll" in signature, several tiny holes, else a very good example.
- 50 **CARUSO, ENRICO, 1873-1921. (Photo)** (\$300-400)  
World renowned operatic tenor, who studied singing while working as a mechanic and factory accountant. Check signed by "Enrico Caruso" (with paraph), 2 3/4" x 5 1/2", drawn on Columbia Bank, of New York City, February 16, 1915. Very small tear at top, with overall even toning. A fine example not often seen.
- 51 **CHENNAULT, CLAIRE, 1890-1958.** (\$100-200)  
WWII aviation hero, famed for his "Flying Tigers." Became Brigadier General in 1942, Commanding U.S. Army Air Forces in China. Earlier, he had been the U.S. Air Advisor to Chiang Kai-Shek. Signature, "C. L. Chennault", (on card) professionally matted, with striking black & white photo, 8" x 7", of Chennault at desk in his generals uniform. Also included, a "Look Magazine" article by Chennault, dated 9-7-54 "The Flying Tigers Can Do It Again" 3 related items: Chennault autographs are quite scarce. [3]
- 52 **CHINESE DIGNITARIES.** (\$90-150)  
**Madame Chiang-Kai-Shek**, wife of General Chiang-Kai-Shek, President of Nationalist China, educated at Wellesley College in USA. A political activist, she directed important government policies and relations with the U.S. Matted signature and color portrait, 16" x 12". **T.V. Soong** (T.Suwen Soong). Studied at Harvard and Columbia in USA, later acting President of China, brother-in-law of Chiang-Kai-Shek. Signature and black & white photo, overall matted, 16" x 12" Fine. 2 pcs. [2]
- 53 **CIVIL WAR. CABINET MEMBERS.** (\$75-100)  
**Salmon P. Chase**, Sect'y of Treasury under Lincoln, later Chief Justice of U.S. ANS, Washington City, 2-10-1853, acknowledging request for autograph; **Steven R. Mallory**, Sect'y of the Confederate Navy under Jefferson Davis, signature. Each autograph matted with 10" x 8" photo, overall 16" x 12". [2]
- 54 **CLEMENS, SAMUEL L. / "MARK TWAIN", 1835-1910.** (\$250-350)  
Author and humorist, Samuel Langhorne Clemens (pseudonym: "Mark Twain"). Card (2 1/4" x 3 1/2") signed with both signatures: "Sam'l L. Clemens" and "Mark Twain". Fine.
- 55 **CLEVELAND, S. GROVER, 1837-1908.** †(\$100-150)  
22nd and 24th President of the United States. TLS, 1 page, 4to, Princeton, N.J., 12-16-1902. As Democratic President-elect for his second term in office, Cleveland writes to Henry Jessup, President of the Quill Club in New York City, saying he cannot speak before the Club during this winter, "... I hope you will not suspect me of lack of appreciation ..." In the two paragraph letter, Cleveland had handwritten several additions and corrections. Some signs of soiling & glue stains on verso, otherwise a very presentable Cleveland letter.
- 56 **CLEVELAND, S. GROVER, 1837-1908.** (\$150-300)  
President of the U.S., formerly Governor of N.Y. Appointment form for Robert W. Speer to be a Postmaster at Denver Col., May 25, 1886. Signed by Cleveland June 10, 1886; countersigned by W.F. Vilas (1840-1908) U.S. Postmaster General, Secretary of the Interior (1888-1889). Folded, stained, points broken off the P.O. seal.
- 57 **CLEWS, HENRY, 1834-1923.** (\$100-150)  
With Jay Cooke, he placed large blocks of U.S. Treasury notes and bonds during the Civil War. Clews' Wall Street firm alone supplied from \$5-15 million a day, enabling the Union to successfully carry out the war. ALS, 15 Broad St., New York, Dec. 15, 1902, 8vo, 2 pages. Clews writes a compassionate letter to Mrs. Sartous expressing his sorrow at the passing of her mother, "... She was a fitting mate for the greatest soldier of modern times and the whole country mourns with you in your loss, etc. ..." Narrow vertical taping on one edge of verso, else Fine.
- 57A **CLINTON, DEWITT, 1769-1828.** (\$125-175)  
Mayor of New York City; Governor of the State; and U.S. Senator, nephew of George Clinton, and a powerful politician. Partly printed document signed by Clinton as Mayor, July 19, 1813, oblong, 12 mo, order to the N.Y.C. Treasurer for payment of \$1500 to Leonard Bleecker, Treasurer of N.Y.C., for the "Free school", co-signed by John Morton and Thos. Mercein. Beautiful signatures of Clinton and Bleecker (on verso), with paraph. Fine.



- 58 **CLINTON, GEORGE (PHILIP LIVINGSTON), 1739-1812. (Photo) ★(\$275-Up)**  
Important document partly printed and signed by George Clinton, as Governor of New York State, July 27, 1786, vellum, 13" x 17". Disposition of 7350 acres in Albany country, owned by Philip Livingston, signer of the Declaration of Independence who died in 1778. His land is inherited, through this New York State Grant, by six descendants: Phillip Phillip (his son); Sarah Livingston; Henry A. Livingston; Margaret Jones; and Catherine Westerlo. The Livingston land was transferred to the Livingston heirs by the state on the condition that within 7 years there would be an actual settlement on the tract of land for every 640 acres. Otherwise, the estate granted would become void. The Livingston family, prominent in colonial and post-colonial periods, was founded by Robert Livingston (1654-1728), an immigrant who settled in Albany, N.Y. Philip Livingston, the signer, was his grandson. The original Livingston manor consisted of 160,000 acres. An historic document, with a handsome pendant embossed State Seal of New York, 3 1/4" diam. Clinton's signature and all handwriting are dark and very clear. Included is a genealogical chart of Livingston family. Document is in near perfect condition except for some minor foxing in places. 2 items.
- 59 **CLYMER, GEORGE, 1739-1813. †(\$150-300)**  
Signer, Philadelphia merchant. ADS "G.C.", 1 1/2 pages, Dec. 4, 1782, 8vo, blank integral leaf. Clymer's retained copy of legal agreement concerning the handling of the estate of his father-in-law, Rees Meredith, who had died in 1777. With revisions and corrections. **Fine.**
- 60 **CODY, W.F. "BUFFALO BILL", 1846-1917. (\$150-300)**  
American scout and showman; founder of Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show. Signature, "W.F. Cody" on 2" x 5" sheet. In pencil, but a fine autograph.
- 61 **COLLECTION OF SEVEN AUTOGRAPHS. (\$90-125)**  
George Bancroft (American Historian) ALS; Augustus Hoppin (illustrator) ALS; Richmond Hobson (naval hero, lecturer, medal of honor winner); Frank B. Kellogg (U.S. Senator, Sect'y of State) TLS, as Senator; Frances Wilson (British actress, ALS, "Garrick Theater"; Kate Clapton (American actress) signature on card (some staining); Joseph Jefferson (American actor), excellent signature & portrait (matted). Items are mostly 19th century. [7]
- 62 **COHELEACH, GUY; "AFFIRMED". PORTRAIT. (Photo) (\$150-Up)**  
Internationally famous artist of animals and wildlife, with original paintings in the White House and in Moscow. He is listed in "Who's Who in American Art." Striking full-color lithograph of "Affirmed", racehorse, 1978 Triple Crown winner. 20" x 26" #136 of limited edition signed in full, by Coheleach. In original carton, with biography of Coheleach. Excellent.
- 63 **CONNECTICUT SIGNERS & STATESMEN. †(\$125-200)**  
Signatures, cut, of Oliver Wolcott, Signer, as Lt. Governor; Roger Sherman, Signer; and Matthew Griswold, Governor and presiding officer of Constitutional Ratification Convention. 3 autographs, with light foxing on Wolcott and Griswold. [3]
- 64 **COOLIDGE, CALVIN, 1872-1933. (\$135-175)**  
30th President of the United States, succeeding to the Presidency on the death of Warren G. Harding. Document signed as President, appointing the postmaster for Schoharie, N.Y., February 29, 1924, also signed by Harry S. New, as Postmaster General. Oblong folio. Signs of even toning, a quite fine document.
- 65 **COPLAND, AARON (BORN 1900). (\$175-250)**  
American Composer. His ballets "Appalachian Spring" and "Billy the Kid" are legendary in the tradition of American folk music. Autographed musical manuscript. Three holograph bars of the well-known "Lincoln Portrait" titled and signed by Copland, in full.
- 66 **COOPER, GARY, 1901-1961. (Photo) (\$100-200)**  
Movie actor, winner of two academy awards. Signed cover of Roxy Theater program, Feb. 23, 1951. Cooper attended opening of his picture, "U.S.S. Teakettle," and his autograph appears boldly on his cover photo (head and shoulders) in naval lieutenant's uniform. The movie was based on actual experience of a U.S. naval crew, featured in "New Yorker" article by John W. Hazard, whose signature also appears with Cooper's and four of the real-life, navy crew members. With telegram of invitation to the movie opening from 20th Century Fox. Some tears on extreme right edge and corners, otherwise a quite fine example of vintage Cooper. [2]
- 67 **JOAN CRAWFORD / OTTO KRUGER. (Photo) (\$100-150)**  
Two of Hollywoods greatest in an affectionate studio "still" for the picture "Chained". Signed boldly by both, 8" x 10", B & W **Fine.**
- 68 No Lot.
- 69 **DAMROSCH, WALTER J., 1862-1950. †(\$100-150)**  
German born conductor, director of New York Symphony Orchestra TLS, 1 page, 4to, Nov. 6, 1939. Damrosch writes Park R. Kolbe about his forthcoming visit to Philadelphia, declining the latter's hospitality, "... I am ashamed to confess that a professional engagement always weighs on me to such an extent beforehand, that I am just no good and am therefore compelled to remain lonely and somewhat moody in a hotel ... " **Fine.**
- 70 **DANIELS, JOSEPHUS, 1862-1948. (\$100-Up)**  
Newspaper publisher, who later served as U.S. Secretary of Navy under President Wilson and Ambassador to Mexico. Partly printed Presidential document signed by Daniels, for the President, as Sect'y of the Navy, large folio, Aug. 13, 1917. Appointment of Louis E. Mueller as assistant surgeon in the Navy. With attractive vignettes and blue Navy Dept. Seal. U.S. Presidential Navy commissions signed at this level are not common. **Fine.**
- 71 **DAVIES, MARION. (\$75-150)**  
Motion picture actress, who achieved stardom, but retired to live with William Randolph Hearst at his famed mansion, San Simeon. A splendid shot of Davies, B & W, 10" x 8", signed "Sincerely, Marion Davis".
- 72 **DAVIS, JEFFERSON, 1808-1889. (Photo) (\$400-Up)**  
President of the Confederacy, Secretary of War in President Pierce's cabinet. Rare autograph check signed by Davis, Nov. 29, 1871, payable to Memphis and Charleston Railroad for \$14.29. Drawn on Savings Bank of Memphis. Attractive vignette, with small tax stamp. **Fine** example; cut cancel over two letters of signature is expertly repaired and not visible. Professionally framed and matted with color portrait of Davis. 2 items. [2]
- 73 **DEFOE, DR. ALLAN (DIONNE QUINTUPLETS), 1883-1943. (\$150-250)**  
Canadian physician of Callander, Ontario, where he successfully delivered the Dionne quintuplets, May 28, 1934. Photograph signed and inscribed "from Allan Roy Defoe" with all five Dionne quintuplets, Annette, Cecile, Marie, Yvonne, and Emilie at age 4. Photo copyrighted 1938 by NEA service. Both their group photo and his autograph are in mint condition.
- 74 **DEMILLE, CECIL B., 1881-1959. (Photo) (\$150-200)**  
Motion picture producer and director. Best known for his epics, "King of Kings," "Sign of the Cross," "Cleopatra", etc. Check signed "Cecil B. DeMille", to Louise DeMille for \$600, April 5, 1957. Endorsed on reverse by recipient. **Fine.**
- 75 **DEPEW, CHAUNCEY M., 1834-1928. †(\$150-200)**  
Laywer, business man, and public official. He was the featured orator at the unveiling of Statue of Liberty in New York Harbour, Oct. 28, 1886. 1) ALS, 1 1/2 pp, 8vo, New York, June 3, 1918. Mentions Horace Greeley and "the Commodore". On New York Central RR stationery. 2) DS, oblong railroad pass of N.Y. Central and Hudson River line, signed twice by Depew, 3) Signed photo, 6" x 4". A Sarony gilt edge portrait. All 3 pcs. are in exceptionally good condition. [3]
- 76 **DIAZ, PORFIRIO, 1830-1915. (\$150-250)**  
President of Mexico, elected in 1877, and served seven terms through May, 1911. His administration was marked by peace and prosperity but also by dictatorial methods, with little improvement for the masses. He was forced to abdicate and leave Mexico. He died in exile in Paris, 1915. Letter signed by Diaz, as President of Mexico, March 3, 1900, one page, 4to, to the Governor of Missouri. In Spanish. Also, a letter from Gov. Low Stephens, 4to, April 7, 1900, forwarding the letter from Diaz to W.A. Rule in Kansas City, MO. Excellent condition. 2 pcs. [2]





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PAY TO THE ORDER OF		LOUISE deMILLE		\$ 600.00	
CHARGE		600 DOLS 00 CTS		DOLLARS	
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Bank of America NATIONAL ASSOCIATION 600 South Spring Street LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA		Cecil B. deMille		Secretary	

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Cable Address "Edison New York"

From the Laboratory  
Thomas A. Edison

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

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to sell my patent No 465971 issued Dec 29

1891 — which agency shall extend over a  
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one fifth part of any sum which  
I may receive from such sale.

Orange N.J.

April 14th 1902

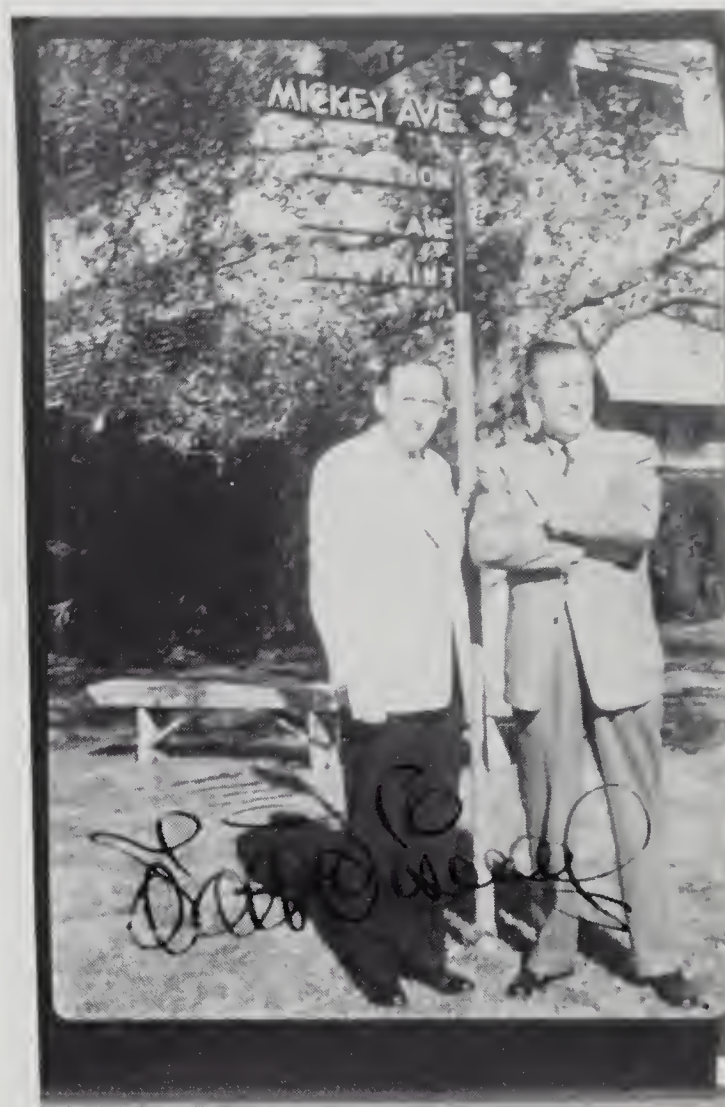
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1902  
Orange July 6th 1902 Thomas A. Edison



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Prof. Dr. A. Einstein

Berlin W. 30, d. 8. X. 21.  
Haberlandstr. 5.

Sehr geehrter Herr!

Nachdem ich Ihnen schon einmal meine Mei-  
nung mitgeteilt habe, bin ich bei meiner grossen  
Ueberlastung, durch Korrespondenzen, nicht mehr in der  
Lage, die von Ihnen begonnene Diskussion fortzusetzen.

Mit vorzüglicher Hochachtung

A. Einstein.

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77 **DISNEY, WALT, 1901-1966. (Photo)** (\$500-700)

American premier producer of animated cartoons, especially "Mickey Mouse." Photo signed "Walt Disney" taken April, 1952, at the corner of "Mickey Avenue" in the Disney Studios, Burbank, CA. A great photo of 51 year-old Disney in his prime, with a sharp, highly visible signature. Photo size 7" x 5". Disney is shown full-length beside advertising executive, W. P. Rankin. With letter of provenance from Rankin. Fine.

78 **DIX, RICHARD.** (\$100-140)

Rugged Hollywood leading man, probably best known for "Cimarron" and other early films of the west. Classic photo, inscribed and signed boldly. 10" x 8", black & white. Fine.

79 **DOUGLASS, FREDERICK, 1817-1895.** (\$100-150)

Negro abolitionist, orator, and journalist. Born a slave. During the Civil War, he successfully implored black men to serve in the Union Army. ANS, 1 page, 12 mo, March 17, 1879, n.p. "It is a pleasure to send my Autograph to Miss Fanny Wilder for I do not forget the Wilder family. Very truly yours (signed) 'Frederick Douglass'." Mounted on thin board, clean, sharp appearance.

80 **DUPONT, HENRY, 1812-1889.** (\$150-250)

American business leader. Son of E.I. Du Pont. West Point Graduate. In 1850 became head of E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company. During Civil War supplied the Army and Navy at low prices despite high taxes and very slow remittance. ALS. April 26, 1836. 4 to. Christiana Hundred. Interesting letter to teacher indicating DuPont's interest in public affairs. "We have been looking out for you for some time and I fear, should you not soon come, we will be obliged to take another teacher as our school has been stopped for some weeks in expectation of your coming."

81 **EDISON, THOMAS A., 1847-1931. EFFORTS TO SELL HIS PATENT. (Photo)** (\$2,000-Up)

American inventor and technical genius. Important *autograph document signed four times*, by Edison with his unique umbrella signature, 4to, one full page on stationery of Thomas A. Edison Laboratory, Orange, N.J., April 14, 1902. Written entirely in Edison's hand, he appoints Eugene Lewis his agent, "...to sell my patent No. 465971, issued Dec. 29, 1891 - which agency shall extend over a period of sixty days...for a price satisfactory to myself..." Edison agrees to give Lewis a commission for a sale of the patent. On the same page with Edison's signed agreement he has made three additional holograph notes, that he also signed, extending his agent's contract through December 1, 1902. Included are exact copies of the U.S. Patent office papers and drawings for Edison's invention referred to in his letter. (The original patent papers are in the Edison National Historic Site in New Jersey.) The patent is described by Edison as a "Means for transmitting signals electrically ... across bodies of water and avoiding submarine cables and from communication between vessels at sea and points on land..." This telegraphic communication system preceeded Edison's later role as Chairman of our Country's Naval Consulting Board in World War I. A highly significant and unique letter, with copies of the patent papers and drawings, 7 pages. Edison's handwriting and signatures on the original letter are clear and dark. Fine condition.

82 **EDISON, THOMAS A., 1847-1931.** (\$1,200-Up)

American inventor, who began his career as a telegraph operator. An important signed document: "Certificate of the Organization of the Edison Phonograph Company". Folio, 5 pages, October 7, 1887. In part, on page 1: "This is to certify that we, Thomas A. Edison, John C. Tomlinson, Ezra T. Gilliland, Alfred O. Tate and Samuel Insull do hereby associate ourselves into a company under and by virtue of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, 'An act concerning corporation...' This important document is fully signed on page 3 by each of the forenamed gentlemen, headed by the signature of Edison and closing with the signature of the famed Samuel Insull. A significant original document of the incorporation of the 'Edison Phonograph Company', in attractive script, and closing with a fine gold seal of the State of New Jersey. This unique document is in an excellent state of preservation.

83 **EDISON, THOMAS A., 1847-1931.** (\$350-500)

Document signed, Jan. 1, 1884, folio, 1 1/2 pp. "Annual Report of the Edison Company for Isolated Lighting", showing financial status of company formed to market Edison's patented electric lighting invention. Capital stock, as shown: \$1,000,000, with bottom line indebtedness of \$98,009.72. Signed boldly underneath the financial statement by Thomas A. Edison, and three others, as Company trustees. Attached to verso are State of New York certification seal and statement. Several short fold breaks, easily mended, else quite fine.

84 **EDISON, THOMAS A., 1847-1931.** (\$250-350)

American inventor. Signed check of "Edison Botonic Research Corporation," West Orange, NJ, July 16, 1928. To F.A. Flinn, Inc., for stationery, \$26.69. With several cancellation holes, it is nonetheless a clear and bold umbrella signature of Edison.

85 **EINSTEIN, ALBERT, 1879-1955. (Photo)** †(\$450-600)

Noted physicist and scientist born in Ulm, Germany. Awarded Nobel Prize, 1921, for Physics. He left Germany in 1933 to take up permanent residence in the United States. Typed card signed, A. Einstein, from Berlin, dated August 10, 1921, to Mr. N. Yohanson, Stapleton, N.Y. In curt language, he writes, "I have told you once before my opinion. Because of my work on account of correspondence, I am not able to continue the discussion that you started with me." Two small corners missing from bottom blank area of card, o/w a desirable Einstein item. (A recent Einstein manuscript on relativity set a record auction price of \$1.2 million.)

86 **EISENHOWER, DWIGHT E. / EISENHOWER, MAMIE D. (Photo)** (\$400-500)

34th President of the United States, 1952-60, and his first lady. Letters signed (2) on White House stationery, 8vo, Washington, May 1, 1953. Ike and Mamie have written individual letters to Mrs. Sandy Breslin thanking her for the embroidered table linens that she had presented to the President in the White House the morning of May 1, that same day. "Ike" says, in part, "I am sending it (the gift) over to her (Mamie) immediately — I know she will be delighted with this hand-embroidered gift." In her letter, also dated May 1, 1953, Mamie says, "...The needlework is really exquisite and I know you must have spent months and months of work in making this gift...this will be one of our most prized possessions!" The two letters are double-matted and framed on either side of a photograph of President and Mrs. Eisenhower seated on the White House grounds. The letters are dry mounted, in excellent condition. A fine group.

87 **ELLIS, HAVELOCK, 1859-1939.** †(\$70-100)

English scientist and writer, who gave up his medical practice to pursue a successful literary career, particularly psychological studies and sexual sociology. ALS, Holmdene Avenue, Herne Hill, London, SE 24, octavo, 2 full pages. Ellis critiques a story written by American writer, Ogden Heath. In part, "...Not only is there no fault to find with the writing but every touch of the story seems fine and delicately achieved ... of my book, 'Impressions & Comments', American publishers have now renamed it..." With holograph envelope. Fine literary content. 2 pcs. [2]

88 **ELLSWORTH, OLIVER, 1745-1807 / MEREDITH, WILLIAM, 1799-1873.** (\$150-200)

Oliver Ellsworth: DS, octavo, payment order for Capt. McGregore for 500 pounds for "enlisting his own Company in the Continental hattalion..." also signed by Ezra Williams, speaker of the assembly. (With engraving of Ellsworth in judicial robes). William Meredith, U.S. Secretary of Treasury, 1849-50: DS, octavo, Oct. 27, 1835, I.O.U. payable to Meredith, signed twice on obverse and verso. 3 pcs. [3]

89 **ELLSWORTH, OLIVER, 1745-1807.** †(\$85-150)

Chief Justice of U.S. (1796-99); Conn. delegate to Continental Congress and Constitutional convention. Payment order to Samuel and Ezekial Fox "for charges of their sickness in returning from the Army," Hartford, Aug. 25, 1777, war year. Unusually attractive signature and ornate paragraph. Pristine.

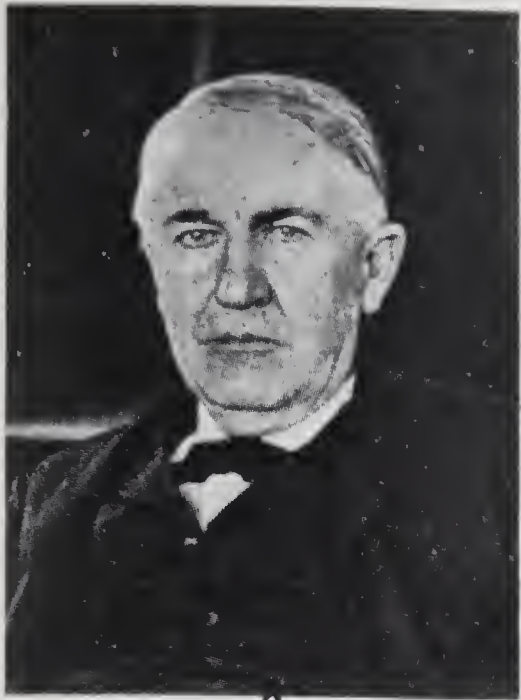
90 **ERTE (artist).** (\$150-250)

French impressionist painter. Russian-born, Paris-bred, he is recognized as one of the foremost fashion and theatrical designers of the 20th Century. "ERTE GRAPHIC", book signed and inscribed by Erte on title page; folio size, 48 pages. Five complete suites (50 prints) reproduced in full color: "The Seasons, The Alphabet, The Numerals, The Aces, The Precious Stones." Beautiful lithographic prints of five of Erte's most successful suites.

91 **ERTE (artist).** (\$85-150)

"Designs by Erte", book, fashion drawings and illustrations from "Harpers Bazaar". Signed and inscribed "For —, best wishes, Erte, on title page, folio, soft cover. 130 pages, 1976; 310 line drawings from "Harpers Bazaar". Original captions, 14 covers, including 8 in full color, with introduction by Stella Blums. Mint condition.





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1902

Thos A Edison  
Orange July 6th 1902



*Yours Respectfully,*

*Millard Fillmore*

*Comptroller*

92 **FILLMORE, MILLARD, 1800-1874.** (\$200-Up)

13th U.S. President, New York legislator, U.S. Congressman, N.Y. Comptroller (thus at signing). L.S. April 28, 1848 to Samuel P. Stokes. Banker in re a defective bank report without the required oaths as to its accuracy.

93 **FINANCIERS: GOULD/SAGE/ECKERT.** (\$2,300-3,500)

Important legal documents relating to the consolidation of the Western Union Telegraph Co., signed by Jay Gould, Russell Sage, and Thomas Eckert. Legal document, quarto and legal folio, 17 pp. Jan. 22, 1881, consisting of sworn affidavits of Gould and various members involved in the proposed merger of the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company and Western Union Telegraph. First affidavit is signed by Eckert confirming "transfer of property, rights, and Franchises, etc." Second affidavit, signed by Eckert, Russell Sage, and other prominent directors and stockholders states they "...have voted for and consented to said agreement in good faith...believing the same to be for the best interest and pecuniary advantage of all stockholders..." Other affidavits discuss the complaint filed by Rufus Hatch to delay the merger, other merger candidates, and possible introduction of W.H. Vanderbilt as "a compromise suitor for the telegraph company..." Very interesting, a unique piece of financial history and quite typical of Wall St. today! A few crease tears on last several pages, otherwise fine.

94 **FIRST PERSON BOOKS, SIGNED.** (\$85-125)

Col. Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, Jr., "Return to Earth", 1973, signed and inscribed, 338 pp; Erskine Caldwell, "Afternoons in Mid-America", 1976, signed and inscribed by Caldwell and Virginia Caldwell, his artist wife. (With ALS from Virginia Caldwell), 276 pp. Phil Donahue, "My Own Story", 1979, signed and inscribed, 246 pp. Total of 3 books and ALS. Fine. [4]

95 **FILM GODDESSES: BARDOT, LOREN, AND RUSSELL.** (\$100-175)

Signed photos: Briget Bardot (10" x 8"); Sophia Loren (10" x 8") and Jane Russell (7" x 5"). Black & White. [3]

96 **FLYNN, ERROL. (Photo)** (\$100-150)

Multi-married, "bad boy" movie actor featured in swashbuckling roles. Photo signed, "Best wishes, Errol Flynn." Shown head and shoulders, relaxed and smiling, 7" x 5". B & W. Fine.

97 **FOCH, FERDINAND, 1851-1929. (Photo)** (\$200-400)

World War I Commander of French armies. Supreme Commander of all Allied armies, 1918. He was President of the Inter-Allied Council at Versailles in 1917 and became Marshall of France in August 1918. Signed program of the Officers and Directors of the France-America Society "in honor of His Excellency Ferdinand Foch, Marshall of France," at the Waldor-Astoria, N.Y.C., Nov. 19, 1921, 4 to. Signed and inscribed "Au Colonel Walter Scott, Mon souvenir, F.Foch." in large, bold pencil. With a page of the program listing officers and directors of the "Society": Chauncey DePew, J. Peirpont Morgan, Elihu Root, Henry Van Dyke, Frederic Coudert, and others who attended this auspicious event. Also, with the program, a striking 4to sepia engraving of Foch in full uniform. 3 attractive items, mounted on light board [3]

98 **FORD, GERALD R.** (\$90-125)

Autographed book: "A Time to Heal", signed, dated, and inscribed. 1st edition, 1979, profusely illustrated. 454 pp, d.j., Fine condition.

99 **FORD, GERALD.** (\$125-200)

Succeeded Richard Nixon as President of the United States on latter's resignation. Full color photo signed by Ford on lower right margin. Large full signature boldly signed beneath waist length photo of smiling Ford, 10" x 7 1/2". Matted. Fine.

100 **FORD, GERALD R.** (\$100-150)

38th President of the United States. T.L.S. as member of U.S. Congress, on stationery of "Office of the Minority Leader", Washington, D.C. Nov. 12, 1970, 4to, one page. To a member of the "Jerry Ford Victory Team". In part, "...The work that you and Jan did was a great help...particularly the one night that you waited out in the cold for nearly 45 minutes. I am happy that there were so many young people on my campaign staff...the 2299 hours of work they contributed is a major reason for the fact that we received 62% of the vote..." (signed) Jerry Ford. Some light discoloration on lower right blank area, otherwise quite fine.

101 **FORD, HENRY, 1863-1947.** †(\$350-500)

Inventor industrialist, automotive genius, who founded the Ford automobile dynasty; Book signed in full "Henry Ford" on first blank leaf "Edison I Know Him", written by Ford. 8 vo, 123 pp, published 1930, New York. Ford was an intimate friend of Edison throughout much of his life. Tipped in letter in the book on Henry Ford stationery authenticates the signature but can be easily removed. From the library of Charles Claghorn. A scarce signed book in Fine condition.

102 **FORRESTAL, JAMES V., 1892-1949.** (\$125-175)

Forrestal, a close associate and advisor of President Franklin Roosevelt who played a vital role in building up U.S. naval strength in World War II. Suffering from nervous exhaustion and depression, he committed suicide on May 22, 1949. Presidential document, large folio, July 18, 1941, signed by Forrestal (for FDR) as acting Secretary of the Navy. Commission of Louis E. Mueller as Captain and Medical Director of the navy. Attractive large vignettes with full blue seal of U.S. Navy. Flawless and Fine.

103 **FRANKFURTER, FELIX, 1882-1965.** (\$100-150)

Advisor to President Franklin D. Roosevelt; Associate Justice of U.S. Supreme Court 1939-1962. ALS, 2 pp. 12 mo, August 23, 1960. To Mrs. Hull, "How very nice of you to write me so cheerfully about those tape recordings. I permitted publication with many misgivings. To evoke appreciation like yours tends to dispel. John Crim and I lived a good many of the experiences together, and pleasurably so". (Signed) Felix Frankfurter. Scotch tape stain on top margin and some toning on verso. Written on U.S. Supreme Court correspondence card.

104 **FRICK, HENRY C., 1849-1919. (Photo)** (\$200-300)

Famous industrialist. Chairman, Carnegie Steel Co. (1889-1900); he played major role in consolidation of companies forming U.S. Steel Corp. in 1901. Bequeathed his New York mansion and art treasures to the public, becoming the Frick Museum. Check signed, "H.C. Frick", Dec. 30, 1905 to cash for \$990.94, on the Fifth Ave. Bank. Light cancellation stamp touching top of "F", otherwise a Fine signature and check.

105 **FULTON, ROBERT, 1765-1815. DRAWINGS & NOTES OF FULTON. (Photo)** (\$3,000-5,000)

American engineer and inventor. He invented the submarine but could not interest the government in developing it. Best known for building the first commercially successful steamboat in America, The Clermont. Original holograph page (both sides) from his notebook showing "locks" - firing devices for his torpedoes. September 24, 1812. 4to, 2 pages. Fulton's holograph notes include: "September 24 wrote Mr. Eustace (sic) to have 12 made at Harpers Ferry. Sent lock and drawing". Accompanied by four drawing by Fulton, one pen & ink, two in pencil, and one in pen & ink and pencil. Fulton has noted in pencil above the fourth, "This pattern to be followed". The letter referred to by Fulton was written September 24, 1812 to William Eustis, Secretary of War. (not included) Eventually Fulton had nine locks for the torpedoes fabricated at Harpers Ferry. The U.S. Navy employed his torpedoes in the Spring of 1813, during the War of 1812. This document, with the Stamp of the New Jersey Historical Society on the reverse, is originally from the Solom Alosfen Collection. It was consigned by the New Jersey Historical Society, with other Fulton items, to Sotheby's for sale on Oct. 26, 1983. (Lots #38-#52). Although not signed, this lot includes Fulton's handwritten notes and his four original drawings. Rare, Fine condition.

106 **CLARK, GABLE, 1901-1960.** (\$175-250)

Hollywood leading man. DS. July 12, 1949, 7" x 10", for 50 shares of Dept. of Water and Power of Los Angeles; receipt to Gable for bond certificate held for safekeeping by Los Angeles bank. Small tear on top margin and a cancellation tear, only slightly affecting a fine signature and document.

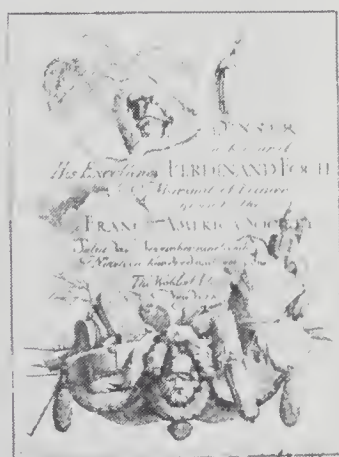




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*Autograph Watercolor  
1892 Souvenir  
L. Forth*



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No. 83

New York, Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1915

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*W. C. Frick*

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107 **GALLATIN, ALBERT, 1761-1849.** (\$75-150)

Financier and statesman. U.S. Secretary of the Treasury (1801-14). Renowned treaty negotiator with Great Britain. Document signed, folio, 3 pages. June 4, 1801, docketed on outside panel, receipt to **Frison Dalton**, agent for the Bank of the U.S., designated to receive the dividends on the 3/4 U.S. stock on behalf of a long list of foreigners, mostly British, who are listed in the document. A short authorization to **Samuel Hanson**, Cashier of Bank of Columbia, instructing him to pay such interest to **Dalton**. Signed in full by Dalton. Aging, splitting, chips out of the edges, some small areas of tape repairs.

108 **GARFIELD, JAMES A., 1831-1881.** (\$250-350)

20th President of the United States. Died after six months in office from assassin's bullet. LS, 8vo, one page, June 26, 1880, from Menton, Ohio, acknowledging congratulations apparently for his election to the U.S. Senate for the term beginning March 1881, which he never served. He subsequently was inaugurated as President in 1881. In part, "The congratulations of my old classmates are specially acceptable to me..." He graduated from Williams College in 1856. **Fine.**

109 **GARFIELD, JAMES A., 1831-1881. (Photo)** (\$300-600)

20th President U.S. Teacher, President Hiram College (thus at writing) Major General Volunteers Civil War; U.S. House. ALS. August 17, 1859 recommends a young man at the W.R. Eclectic Institute for a position. Aging, print of the President included. **2 pcs.** [2]

110 **GOULD, JAY, 1836-1892.** (\$300-400)

Financier, speculator in railroad securities; DS, Missouri Kansas and Texas Railroad stock certificate signed by Gould, as president, March 23, 1880. 100 shares, green back, cattle vignettes; 2 small cancel holes through the signature, as usual. **Fine.** A similar example fetched \$320 in our February 1987, Bedford sale.

111 **GOULD, JAY, 1836-1892.** (\$200-300)

American financier and Wall Street's 19th century robber baron. ALS's (2), 8vo, on one page, dated New York, Nov. 7, 1865 and Jan. 24, 1866. One is written on obverse, the other on the verso of the same sheet. They are apparently retained copies of Gould's. A small square piece, 1 3/4" x 2 1/2", has been cut away from a lower corner. The earlier letter lacks some words at the lower right corner as well as the "Id" of Gould's surname. The later letter has the words of three lines cut away with the signature complete. Both letters are on financial matters. Repairs on folds. Gould autograph letters signed are not common in any form, even though this one has its problems.

112 **GOULD, MORTON.** (\$150-250)

Musician, orchestra leader and famed 20th century composer. Autographed musical extract several bars from "Lincoln Legend" signed, 5-17-86 and inscribed, mounted on thin board, 4 1/2" x 8". **Fine.**

113 **PRINCESS GRACE AND PRINCE RANIER.** (\$75-150)

Strong signatures of the late Princess Grace and her husband on FDC. Five lovely commemorative stamps, each in a different color and denomination, portray a youthful prince and princess. Cover contains medallion image of the royal couple and is postmarked date of issue, April 19, 1956. **Fine.**

114 **GREELEY, HORACE, 1811-1872.** †(\$110-175)

Editor, reformer, and political leader. ALS, New York City, Sept. 27, 1851, octavo, 3 pages. In this letter, Greeley reveals his strong influence in partisan politics as Editor and Publisher of the powerful New York Tribune. He writes to an aspirant for a state political job, who seeks Greeley's endorsement. In part, "...we had but a partial delegation from your county at our State convention. I have put forward your name on several grounds..." (Greeley lists four). "...As it was, your name did good service to the cause (at the convention). I will say a word to the public. (obviously referring to an editorial in the Tribune). Good political content, mentioning Fremont. A small section is cut away at bottom of Page 3, removing the recipient's name and address.

115 **GROFE, FERDE / CANTOR, EDDIE.** (\$80-125)

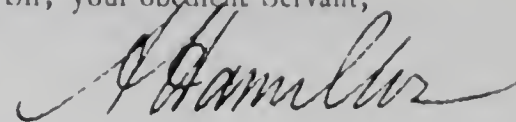
**Grofe**, orchestra leader; TLS, to Loyd Wright, asking that the Corporation increase his salary to \$2000 a week "for I find myself running away behind, with relatives and unseen expense which arise now and then..." Grofe's letter has some glue traces on verso; **Eddie Cantor**, famous entertainer, TLS, to Rudy Vallee, has file holes in top blank area. Also includes portrait of Vallee in front of the mike. **3 pcs.** [3]

116 **GRIFFITH, D.W., 1875-1948. (Photo)** ★(\$175-250)

Truly, a remarkable vintage photo of Griffith, sepia, 10" x 8", and clearly signed, "Sincerely, D W Griffith". Seldom available to collectors. **Fine.**

With much consideration,

I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,


117 **HAMILTON, ALEXANDER, 1755-1804. (Photo)** (\$500-800)

Revolutionary War general, Washington's Sect'y., First U.S. Sect'y of the Treasury, mortally wounded in duel with Baron Burr. Important printed circular letter, signed boldly in ink, "A. Hamilton", at close. 3 printed pp., 4to, Treasury Department (Philadelphia) July 22, 1792. Lengthy letter, nearly 3,000 words. Signed by Hamilton, as Treasury Secretary, it interprets provisions of the **Coasting Act** pertaining to importation fees charged and proper presentation of manifests, with a definition of **clearance** under the Act. **Fine**, a significant Hamilton document. With engraved portrait. **2 pcs.** [2]

118 **HARDING, WARREN G., 1865-1923.** †(\$450-600)

29th President of the U.S., 1921-23, died Aug. 2, 1923 on a speaking tour. TLS, 4to, on White House stationery, April 23, 1923, one page. To James C. Woods, of the Marion, Ohio "Star", President Harding writes, in part, "I am returning herewith your publisher's statement of the circulation of the Star...The highest peak of Saturday circulation is far in excess of what I had imagined it to be, and the lowest Saturday run for March is much larger than I would have believed. It is all very gratifying..." As President, Harding continued to keep close watch on the profitability of the newspaper he owned in Marion, Ohio. Letters of this type as President referring directly to his newspaper, are unusual. Includes White House envelope and color portrait. **Fine. 3 pcs.** [3]

119 **HARRISON, BENJAMIN, 1726-1791.** (\$275-400)

Signer from Virginia. 4to, one page; partly printed document signed, as Governor of Virginia, Richmond, January 1, 1784. Appointment of four named jurists as Commissioners "...for the trial of slaves... for the purpose of trying, condemning, and executing, or otherwise punishing or acquitting, any slave committing a capital crime..." An unusual slave document from an early period of our history. Very clean and sharp, with paper seal. Excellent for framing.

120 **HARRISON, BENJAMIN, 1726-1791.** †(\$150-200)

Signer from Virginia; member of Continental Congress. Partly printed D.S. as governor of Virginia, 1 full page, oblong small 8vo, Richmond, 1783, appointment of James Nimmo as captain in the militia, bearing paper seal. Browned and ink-eroded (affecting 2 letters of signature). With several repairs on verso, otherwise quite satisfactory example.

120A **HARRISON, BENJAMIN, 1833-1901. (Photo)** ★(\$1,000-Up)

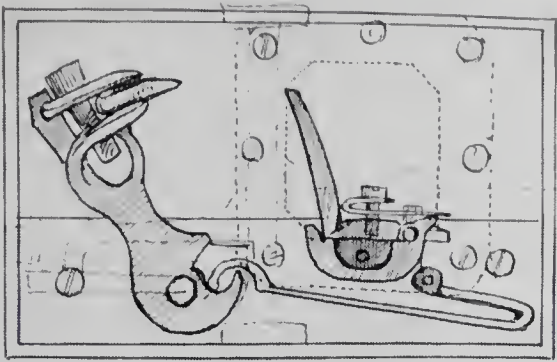
23rd President of the U.S.; Civil War General; U.S. Senator. Commission for J.W. St. Clair (at the nomination of the Governor of WVA) to serve on the Columbian 400th Anniversary Exposition Commission. May 16, 1890. Countersigned by James G. Blaine (1830-1893) U.S. Secretary of State, Congressman, U.S. Speaker of the House defeated Presidential Candidate (1884). Aged, split along folds. A very rare commission appointment for the Columbian Exposition.

121 **HARRISON, BENJAMIN, 1833-1901.** (\$250-500)

23rd U.S. President. Navy Commission 30 December 1891 for George E. Burd to the rank of Lieutenant, J.G.; Passed Assistant Engineer. Signed by Harrison and B.F. Luey, Secretary of the Navy. A handsome ABN/BEP product, folded, with some aging.



Sketch of a machine for the purpose of  
 abstracting, or separating, the oil from  
 the seeds, &c.



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W. W. Eclectic Institute  
 Miami, O. Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1857.

Dear Sir,

This certifies that Mr. Walter  
 Dunlap has been for several terms  
 a student of this Institute - and  
 I take pleasure in recommend-  
 ing him as a faithful and  
 diligent student - and a worthy  
 young man. I will also state  
 that he has had some experience  
 in teaching common school.

J. A. Fairfield  
 Principal

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Benjamin Harrison,  
 President of the United States of America

To all who shall see these Presents, Greeting:

Know ye, that upon the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1857, in pursuance of the duty and authority  
 of J. W. Chase, Governor of the State of Ohio, and upon the nomination of the Governor of the  
 State of Ohio, I do appoint the said J. W. Chase, to be a  
 Commissioner from the said State, under the act of Congress entitled  
 An Act to provide for the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the discovery of  
 America by Christopher Columbus, by holding an International Exhibition of Arts,  
 Industries, Manufactures, and Agriculture, to be held at the Port of the said City  
 of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, approved April 20, 1857, and subject to the provisions  
 thereof.

In testimony whereof, I have caused these presents to be signed by me, and the seal of the State of Ohio  
 to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the City of Cincinnati this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1857, in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and of the Independence of the  
 United States of America the one hundred and first year.

By the President

Secretary of State

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- 123 **HARRISON, WILLIAM H., 1773-1841.** (\$400-600)  
9th President of the United States. Served in office from March 4 to April 4, 1841 when he died of pneumonia. ADS, as Aid-de-Camp to Gen. "Mad Anthony" Wayne in the northwest territory, "Greenville, 8th Aug. 1795". In full, "The commissary will issue for the Shawnees twenty pounds of flour and six pounds of soap". (signed) Wm. H. Harrison, Aid-de-Camp (with a paraph). Writing is strong and clear. A clean document, app. 3" x 7 1/2" with tiny hole in blank area and uneven paper margin on right, not affecting text or signature. Overall, a quite **fine** item.
- 124 **HART, JOHN, 1711-1779.** †(\$150-200)  
Signer of Declaration of Independence. Colonial currency, 12 shillings, March 25, 1776, New Jersey. **Fine** condition.
- 125 **HART, WILLIAM S., 1872-1946.** (\$150-250)  
American actor of the legitimate theater, who turned to Hollywood in 1914, later starring in "Ben Hur", "The Squaw Man", "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine", and many others. ALS, 4to, "Horseshoe Ranch, Newhall, CA", October 12, 1934. He writes Rudy Vallee, in part, "I'm on my way to the big camp. (Probably NYC) Expect to be back in four weeks...I'll be at the Astor - If there is anything I can do for you, let me know and please give Alice my best. (signed) "Bill Hart". **Fine**.
- 126 **RITA HAYWORTH / ALY KHAN. (Photo)** (\$150-275)  
The marriage of Rita Hayworth, at the peak of her career, to Aly Khan, was the talk of Hollywood in 1949. Signed by both, dated 1949, 6" x 8", B & W, inscribed, shortly after their marriage. Scarce. In **Fine** condition.
- 127 **HEATH, EDWARD, 1919-.** (\$85-150)  
One of Britain's most successful and accomplished yachtsmen, in addition to his outstanding political career, as Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, 1970-1974. Two autographed books by Heath: "Sailing", 1976, signed and inscribed on front end paper, '84. 185 pp; "Travels", 1977, signed, inscribed and dated on front end paper, 224 pp. Both books and dust jackets are in **Very Fine** condition. 2 items. [2]
- 128 **HERBERT, VICTOR, 1859-1924. (Photo)** (\$400-600)  
American conductor and composer. **Autographed musical quotation signed**, from one of his compositions. Nashville, Sept. 4 (18)97. Composed *Babes in Toyland*, *The Red Mill*, *Naughty Marietta* and musical scores for *Ziegfeld Follies*. **Fine**.
- 129 **HOLLADAY, BEN, 1819-1887.** (\$175-Up)  
Outstanding financial tycoon. Pony Express pioneer. With the coming of the railroad he read the doom of the stagecoach and sold out his own horse-drawn business to Wells Fargo (1866). DS. Ornate check signed in full by Holladay as President of the Oregon and California Railroad Company. 3" x 9". Litho. Check, printed by Britton, vignette depicts early vintage locomotive. **Fine**.
- 130 **HOLLYWOOD LEADING MEN. GREGORY PECK; MARLON BRANDO; RICHARD BURTON.** (\$100-150)  
Signed photos (not inscribed) of three of the greatest. Each is 10" x 8", B & W. **Fine**.
- 131 **HOLMES, OLIVER WENDELL, 1809-1894.** (\$300-450)  
Prominent American man of letters and Professor of Anatomy at Yale. ALS. 2 pp. 296 Beacon Street (Boston) August 31, 1875. "Dear Dr. Chadwick;" Thanks the doctor for sending a translation of a medical work and reports "I have read them both with much interest. The first I had already seen in the Medical Journal but I am very glad to read it again and preserve it." Holmes was the author of several medical works as well as *The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table*, biographies and popular poems including *Old Ironsides*, *The Last Leaf*, etc. With portrait. **Fine**. 2 items. [2]
- 132 **HOOVER, HERBERT, 1874-1964.** †(\$80-125)  
31st President of the United States. TLS, brief. 1 page, 4to. Stanford University, Nov. 9, 1928. Acknowledges a message from J.C. Denton and appreciates his friendship. Probably referring to Hoover's successful nomination for Presidency.
- 133 **HORTON, EDWARD EVERETT.** (\$75-150)  
Famed movie star of the 30's and 40's, and versatile character actor who played many different role types. Vintage b & w photo, signed in full, 10" x 8". A fine autograph signed on his suit, highly visible.
- 134 **HOUDINI, HARRY, 1874-1926. (Photo)** (\$700-850)  
American magician born in Appleton, Wisconsin, named Ehrich Weiss. Early in his life he assumed the name Harry Houdini, after the famous French magician, Robert-Houdin. Book signed by the author, Houdini, "The Unmasking of Robert-Houdin", 8vo, 319 pp, 1908. Inscribed and dated on first blank page, May 8, 1917, "Compliments of the author", "Harry Houdini", "At least read the introduction Please", "H. Houdini". Signed **twice**, large and hold handwriting. Book is in very good condition, and scarce.
- 135 **HOWE, JULIA WARD, 1819-1910. AMS, BATTLE HYMN OF REPUBLIC, JULY 4, 1893. (Photo)** (\$400-600)  
Leading woman suffragist, who wrote "Battle Hymn of the Republic". Scarce holograph manuscript, complete 4 stanzas, 29 lines, 1 1/2 pp, written on stationery of "S.S. City of Rome" on **July 4th**. Fine clear handwriting and signed at the end by Ms. Howe. A few tears at edges detract little from this unusual piece.
- 136 **HUSTON, WALTER, 1884-1950.** (\$100-150)  
Actor - Legitimate stage and Vaudeville, 1908-1929; later starred in movies. Father of John Huston. Autograph document signed; questionnaire filled in for "Mercury" magazine, n.d., 4to, one page, Beverly Hills, CA. A condensed autobiography in which Houston outlines his earlier career, hobbies, etc. He remembers, "The old days in Vaudeville when hot dogs and sandwiches at the free lunch counter tasted better than banquets now. Pictures are nice to work in, but I still love the legitimate stage best, with the noisy audience out front rather than the unseen with the movies." **In pencil**. (signed) "Walter Huston", with a postscript initialed "WH". Somewhat wrinkled, with light foxing in several places. Very nice.
- 137 **JACKSON, ANDREW, 1767-1845. (Photo)** (\$600-800)  
Seventh President of the United States, 1828-1836. Document signed, partly printed, vellum, folio, Oct. 25, 1833. Ship's passport, signed in full as President, countersigned by Edward Livingston, Secretary of State for the "Ship Tropic of New York", commanded by Joseph G. Russell. "mounted with one gun, navigated with fourteen men". Fine engraved sea-going vignettes and white presidential seal intact. Small traces of wax seal at extremities, otherwise quite fine.
- 139 **JAMES, HENRY, 1843-1916.** (\$150-300)  
American novelist; became naturalized British citizen in 1915, awarded Order of Merit 1916; prolific writer, mostly stories of the aristocracy. Check, endorsed on verso, "H. James jr", drawn on the National Bank of Boston, October 19, 1868, signed, "Tichnor & Fields", for Tichnor & Fields, publishers of the "Atlantic Monthly". Partially stained, otherwise quite nice; bold signature; 8vo portrait.
- 140 **JAZZ MUSICIANS. (Photo)** (\$800-1,000)  
Over 120 autographs of famed jazz and swing era musicians and vocalists (1930-1950). These signatures are on the front and back of a 10" x 8" photo of the great drummer, Gene Krupa, and his band. The autographs were personally obtained from each signer by one collector over a **10-year period**. They include most of the jazz luminaries of the era: Gene Krupa, Charlie Barnet, Jimmie Dorsey, Harry James, Les Brown, Billie Holiday, Mildred Bailey, Teddy Wilson, Coleman Hawkins, Carmen Cavallaro, Connie Haines, Boh Eberly, Jess Stacy, Roy Eldridge, Anita O'Day, Buddy DeFranco, and dozens of others. Truly, one of a kind! A few hardly noticeable smudges, and suprisingly sharp and clean.
- 141 **JEFFERSON, THOMAS / MADISON, JAMES. (Photo)** (\$2,500-3,500)  
Partly printed document signed by Thomas Jefferson, as President, and James Madison, Secretary of State, December 23, 1805. Ship's passport, vellum, large folio, with lovely ship vignettes at top and presidential seal intact. For the ship, "Little William", out of Philadelphia, under Ship's Master, Thomas Cullen. Signatures of Jefferson and Madison are bold and clear. Usual folds with some light stains at edges and insignificant wrinkling at corners. In all, a quite fine and desirable piece, signed by two early Presidents.



# Battle Hymn of the Republic

(1) Mine eyes have seen the glory  
of the coming of the Lord,  
He is trampling out the vintage, where  
the grapes of wrath are stored.  
He hath loosed the fateful light-  
nings of His terrible swift sword,  
Our God is marching on

(2) He has sounded forth the trumpet  
that shall never call retreat,  
He is sitting out the hearts of men,  
before His judgment seat,  
Oh, be swift my soul, to answer Him,  
be jubilant my feet —  
Our God is marching on.

(3) I have seen Him in the watch-fires  
of a hundred circling camps;  
They have builded Him an altar  
in the evening dew and damp,  
I can read His righteous sentence  
on

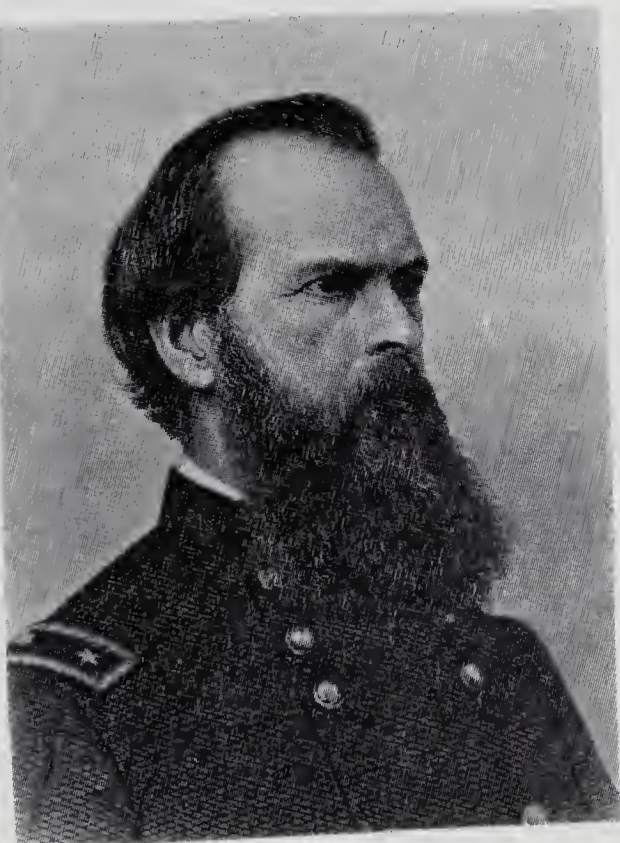


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and flaming camp —  
It is marching on.  
city of the lilies Christ  
on the sea.  
in his bosom, that  
you need not,  
make men holy —  
make men free.  
Since God is marching on  
Julia Ward Howe



S.S. City of Peace  
July 11, 1878.



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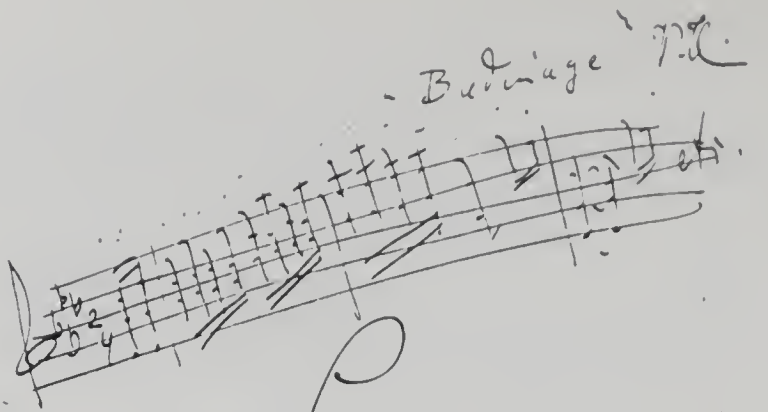
To Miss Anna Herendeen

Compliments  
of the author  
May 8/1917

Harry  
Houdini

"at Least read the  
introduction please"  
H. Houdini

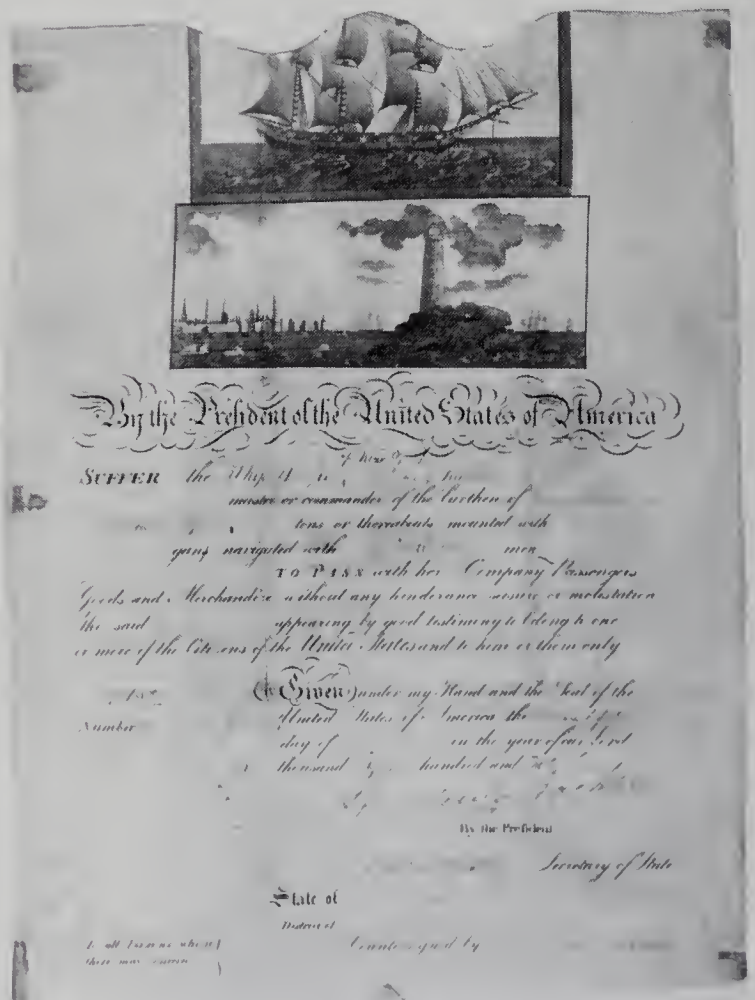
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Sincerely  
Yours  
Harry Houdini

Knoxville - Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 97.

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Ant. J. de la Roche  
de la Roche


Paris le 18 Janvier 1700

de la Roche  
de la Roche

Monsieur  
R. de

L'arrest du 29 Janvier dernier qui fait remise  
des 4 pour liure à ceux qui payeront en billets  
de banque les droits des fermes du Roy se applique  
assez pour faire connaitre que c'est seulement  
pour l'avenir et à commencer du jour de la  
publication de cet arrest. cependant je suis  
informé que plusieurs redoublent des droits  
de la ferme generale ou des sous fermes des  
baux de Lambert et de Manis pretendent  
avoir la meme remise, ce qui engageroit à  
accorder des indemnitez des 4 pour liure  
aux fermiers et sous fermiers de ces baux  
contre l'intention de sa Majesté qui n'a  
promis cette indemnité que pour le bail  
d'Armand Lillaucine, ainsi je vous prie  
de faire cesser les difficultez qui pourroient  
se former sur cette matiere Je suis

Monsieur

Notre tres humble et tres  
affectionné serviteur  




JOHN LAW by Hyacinthe Rigaud

JOHN LAW

Being from home, and consequently without my Account, I cannot precisely say  
how much I have already paid - but I am sure that it is 250 sterling or  
some thing more being for 9 calls antecedent to the last and this money  
I have always paid in currency at 38 1/2 - If I sell, I must have the current  
money ordered me here soon as possible - but the above difference of exchange  
by which I shall lose all my interest on the payments made since  
which have been made in the year 1736, and the last of them I think  
2 years ago or nearly - In the case of 1000, you ought to allow me for  
my interest as Mr. Capinew did in the 50 shares he bought - But if you  
will not do this, my want of money here will compel me to take the current  
money I have actually paid without interest - but I trust that you will  
think of this - The money must be remitted to me expeditiously -  
I have requested my friend Mr. Bindall to get from the Company  
books an exact account of what currency I have paid, and forward  
it to you by post - I think the original shares were 1100, stating  
a piece, and no more - but this you may see in the Act of Assembly -  
I have generally heard that they are going on well, and  
it is understood that in future they will proceed as rapidly as  
wealthy foreigners are joining the Company who will pay for them  
the share calls. Several bold Paymasters have lately sold  
as the old Queen some others - I sent your letter to Mr. Ingersoll  
upon my arrival here, and he returned me a very large packet of papers  
which I am only perceiving to be those you want - They are now in my  
keeping - Much too soon known to go by post, and being besides contrary  
to rule - I passed the last evening with Mr. Cox near Trenton, who  
you meet with others of riches of Debut & Co. - He says the principal  
has been paid you but not the interest which he thinks is as partly  
due to you as the principal - He says further that in settling with a  
person qualified to receive Debut's debts, that he should retain in his hands  
procured an agreement that Mr. Cox should retain in his hands  
until next August twelve month as much money as will amount  
to the whole of your interest, which he says is considerable in order  
to give you time to indemnify your lawyer as to proceed with the  
Judgement

Judgement obtained, as to get Court authority for paying you  
without which he says he has no right to make such payment  
but with which he will with pleasure do it - The Federal  
Judges in Connecticut, upon solemn argument and judgement  
for the whole interest pertaining on a British debt during  
But you was not a British debt as on higher ground

I am with true affection your, friend  
brother Richard Henry Lee

My love to William -  
R. L. I have seen conveyances made of these shares  
all others are made, and such an one will make you do  
on my return to Virginia  
R. H. Lee



142 [JOHNSON, ANDREW] COMMISSION OF MAJOR GENERAL

Military document, folio, April 8, 1867. Commission of Joseph J. Reynolds as Brevet Major General "for gallant and meritorious service at the battle of Missionary Ridge", Andrew Johnson, as President; steel stamped signature as most of his documents during that period, and Edwin Stanton, as Secretary of War. Also included is document signed Edward M. Stanton, Secretary of War, notifying of his commission "for meritorious services in Western Pennsylvania"; edge tears. 2 items. [2]

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144 KENNEDY, ROBERT, 1925-1968. (\$75-150)

U.S. Attorney General (1961-1964), U.S. Senator 1965-68. TLS, 1967 on U.S. Senate paper re Surrogate's Court reforms in N.Y. addressed to John P. Campbell, of Curtis, Mallet-Provost, Colt and Mosle. Signed only as "Bob".

145 KENNEDY, TED; KENNEDY, JACQUELINE. (Photo) (\$300-500)

"In memory of President Kennedy" 1970. Photo of the White House in color from Lafayette Park. Senator Kennedy is in black, Mrs. Kennedy in brown ink.

146 KENNEDY FAMILY AUTOGRAPHS. (\$150-300)

Fine signatures of Robert Kennedy, Jacqueline Kennedy, Ethel Kennedy and Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy on first day cover issued by Monaco in memory of John F. Kennedy, with color vignette of spacecraft launch and commemorative stamp portraying JFK. Postmarked Monaco, March 12, 1964. Unique.

147 LAW, JOHN, 1671-1729. (Photo) ★(\$4,800-7,000)

Financier and speculator who founded Banque Generale, in April 1716. Later, Law was given controlling interest in the Mississippi Company with a monopoly over the exploitation of Louisiana: "the Mississippi Scheme". He became supreme in French Colonial and internal finance. Inflation was Law's undoing. By early 1720, Law attempted to halt the deterioration of France's economy and his own financial empire by various means, albeit unsuccessfully. The effort failed and the "Mississippi Bubble" burst. He fled to Venice where he died poor and forgotten. Letter signed, folio, Paris, March 8, 1720, one full page. (In French, with full English translation). To "Monsieur" the letter reads in part, "The decree of January 29...provides for a discount of 4% for those making payment of dues on royal (taxes) in banknotes...nevertheless I am informed that several of those who owe debts for the privilege of general taxation...are claiming they are entitled to the same discount. This would be against the wishes of his His Majesty...Accordingly I must request that you put a stop to the obstacles which could develop over this matter." In April 1717, Phillippe's French government decreed that all tax collectors should make remittances to its Treasury in Banque Generale Notes (John Law's bank). Law was the father of modern finance (and inflation). His name became synonymous with "millionaire". An extremely rare autograph with significant financial content. With only traces of aging on extreme edges, it is in Fine condition. Also included: full translation, magazine article, and biography of John Law. 4 items.

148 LEE, RICHARD HENRY, 1732-1794. ON SELLING HIS SHARES OF THE POTOMAC COMPANY. (Photo) ★(\$1,500-2,000)

American Revolutionary Statesman. Signer of the Declaration of Independence and the Articles of Confederation, Senator and President of Congress. Autograph letter signed. Philadelphia, January 15, 1792, 4to, to his brother. Lengthy letter about financial matters and selling his shares in George Washington's Potomac Company. In part: "When I left Chantilly, the want of money had determined me to sell my share in the Potomac Company. But Mr. Ch. Lee and others were so clearly of opinion that these shares would sell high in the Spring, as well because of the progress already made, as because a rich Dutch Company had already purchased all the vacant shares & had paid interest on them from the respective calls of the Co. heretofore made and Agents for other Dutch persons were then buying" Fine.

149 LINCOLN, ABRAHAM, 1809-1865. (Photo) (\$2,500-3,500)

16th President of U.S., 1861-1865. Partly printed document signed "Abraham Lincoln", as President, March 16, 1863, large folio; also signed by Edwin Stanton, Secretary of War. Civil War field commission of Brigadier General Joseph J. Reynolds. After the war, he continued in the military service as a Major General. During the winter of 1875-76, his unit captured a Sioux village, Crazy Horse's winter hideout, where he prematurely withdrew his troops after the battle without destroying dismounted Indian warriors. They killed and mutilated the remaining foot soldiers Reynolds had left behind. This reportedly led to the massacre of Custer's troops at Little Big Horn. After a courtmartial for his behaviour, Reynolds resigned his commission in 1877. No explanation was ever determined for his negligence in withdrawing his troops. A flawless document with usual folds not affecting its overall excellent condition. Attractive vignettes at top and bottom with large blue presidential seal intact. Signatures and writing are sharp and clear. Professionally matted and framed, overall size: 26" x 22". Lincoln commissions to Civil War Generals are uncommon. This one is exceptionally fine. (From the Philip Sang Sale).

150 LINCOLN, ABRAHAM, 1809-1865. (Photo) ★(\$2,500-Up)

16th President of the United States. A full legal document, folio, n.d.; a full-page written by Abraham Lincoln with the exception of the signature. Three-line interlineation by Judge David Davis. Davis later became Lincoln's campaign manager and a Supreme Court Justice. It is apparent that Judge Davis had Lincoln write this document for his own signature. "The People of the State of Illinois vs. Martin Hinkle". An indictment for permitting liquor to be consumed in house.

151 LINDBERGH, CHARLES A., 1902-1974. (Photo) (\$300-400)

Attracted by the \$25,000 prize offered to the pilot of the first solo Trans-Atlantic flight, Lindbergh accomplished the feat, May 21, 1927. Dinner program signed "C.A. Lindbergh", July 2, 1927, given by the Canadian Prime Minister in honor of "Lindy" and the U.S. envoy to Canada. Signed on cover in blank area beside engraved full-color crest of Canadian government. 6" x 5". Fine. Suitable for framing.

151A LITERARY AUTOGRAPHS. (\$150-250)

Following are autographed letters signed by: Margaret Deland; Charles Dudley Warner; George B. Childs; Rosa Carey; J.B. Greenough; Gerald Massey; Ella Wheeler Wilcox; Maurice Thompson; George Makepeace Towle; George William Curtis; Merle d'Aubigne; and autographs only of B.L. Gildersleve, Helen Hunt Jackson, and Will Carleton. All the letters are very good to very fine in condition. Some have good literary content. Several have glue marks on verso, in no way affecting the content or general appearance. 14 items. [14]

152 "LIVES OF THE GOVERNORS OF PENNSYLVANIA", 1609-1873. (Photo) ★(\$1,000-1,500)

History of the State from 1609 to 1873, with 22 autograph items and portraits, by William C. Armor. Published by T.H. Davis & Co. Extra-illustrated volume with portraits and some twenty-two autograph items of the Governors, including receipts, state documents and letters. Governors include James Hamilton who originally recognized George Washington's military ability by appointing him to an early mission; Revolutionary War Generals Thomas Mifflin and Joseph Reed; Early abolitionist George Bryan, Signer Thomas McKean, several Directors of the United States Mint; John Dickinson, Delaware's Delegate to the Constitutional Convention who voted against the Declaration of Independence; Civil War Generals including John W. Geary and John F. Hartranft. General Geary fought at Harper's Ferry and accompanied Sherman on his famous march to the sea. He was appointed military governor of Savannah after its capture. In an autograph letter dated June 23, 1862, Gen. Hartranft writes, "All quiet in front. We want to go to Richmond". With bookplate of former President of The Manuscript Society. Very Fine condition.

153 LOMBARD, CAROLE. ★(\$150-250)

Leading lady, married to Clark Gable; she died in an airplane crash at 26, during World War II trip selling bonds in U.S. DS. A suspension notice from the movie studio, signed by Lombard on RKO Pictures stationery, Aug. 4, 1939. 1 page. Addressed to Carole Lombard and signed by her acknowledging receipt of the letter. Authentic signature, hurriedly written. Fine.

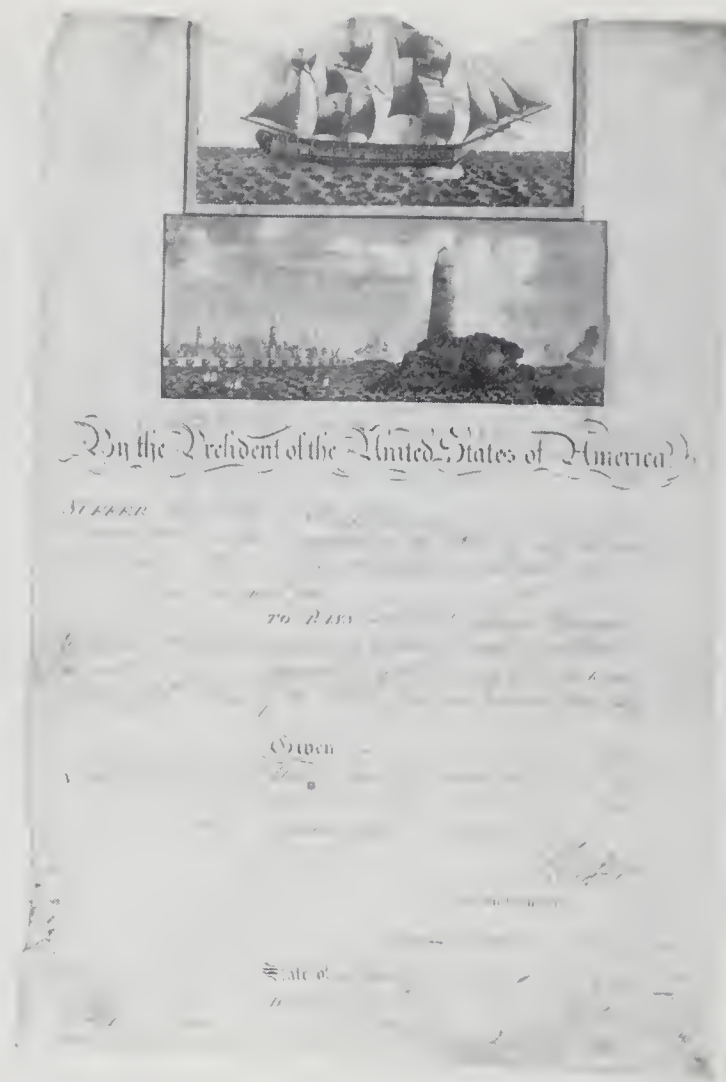
154 LONGFELLOW, HENRY WADSWORTH, 1807-1882. (\$350-500)

American poet and Professor of Languages at Bowdoin and Harvard. Author of *The Village Blacksmith*, *Evangeline*, *The Son of Hiawatha*, and other world favorites. Original manuscript of a portion of a poem entirely in the hand of the poet and signed by him. "Bear through sorrow, wrong and ruth, In thy heart the dew of youth. On thy lips the smile of truth". Henry W. Longfellow. Framed with an original engraved portrait.





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*John F. Kennedy  
In memory of President Kennedy  
John F. Kennedy  
1955-1973*

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155 **LOWELL, JAMES RUSSELL, 1819-1891.** (\$90-150)

American poet, essayist and diplomat. ANS, accepting invitation. Matted with photographic likeness of Lowell. Overall: 15" x 12".

156 **McKEAN, THOMAS, 1734-1817.** (\$500-700)

Signer of Declaration of Independence from Pennsylvania. RARE. Content Document signed, one page, Harrisburgh, Dec 5, 1792. 4 1/2" x 8". Payment voucher to an elector from Pennsylvania for his travel expenses. "Please pay John Wilkins...Sixty-three dollars for twenty-one days travelling to, remaining at and returning from Harrisburgh, at an election of a President and Vice-President of the United States of America." (signed) "Thomas McKean, President". Obviously, for the second term national election of **George Washington** and **John Adams**. Co-signed by the Treasurer of Pennsylvania, Christian Fabiger, and endorsed on verso by John Wilkins and Charles Anderson. In overall fine condition with bold signatures. Even toning, no tears, slightly darker at one crease. A most desirable piece.

157 **McKEAN, THOMAS, 1734-1817.** (\$150-250)

Signer of the Declaration of Independence; Governor and Chief Justice of Pennsylvania. DS, as Pennsylvania Governor, oblong folio, June 9, 1803, on vellum, also signed by **Timothy Matlack** on verso panel. Sale of property, approved by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. With 3 paper seals, all intact, and bold signatures of McKean and Matlack. 2 small stamped dockets on verso and some light staining, otherwise Fine.

158 **MCKINLEY, WILLIAM, 1843-1901. (Photo)** (\$175-250)

25th President of the United States. Document signed, as President, appointing Gilbert Saltonstall Carpenter as Lt. Colonel of Infantry, July 20, 1897. Large folio with vignettes and blue seal of U.S. War Office intact. Co-signed by **R. A. Segal, Secretary of War**. Some wrinkling on right edge and top, otherwise sharp and clear.

159 **MANET, EDOUARD, 1832-1883. (Photo)** (\$950-1,300)

French artist, originator and leader of Impressionism in painting. Autograph letter signed. 2 full pages, 12 mo. Wednesday. No place, no date. He writes to a friend in French, "I am suffering this evening to the point of being obliged to turn over to another the party of tomorrow. I would have notified you by telegram but there was no station office available". Manet's letters are rare and this is an excellent example.

160 **MATLOCK, TIMOTHY D. Died 1829.** (\$450-550)

Engrosser (or penman) of The Declaration of Independence. Except for the signatures, written entirely in his hand. Autograph financial document signed, 16 mo. 16th of 4th month, 1761. Handsomely framed with an engraving by Samuel Sartain after a portrait by Charles Willson Peale. With Robert Morris, Matlack was a founder of the Bank of North America, a trustee of the newly created University of Pennsylvania and a Member of the Continental Congress.

161 **MILITARY BOOKS, SIGNED.** (\$125-175)

Autographed: "The Korean War", by **Gen. Matthew B. Ridgeway**, signed on dedication page, with inscription. 1st edition, 291 pp. "America is in Danger", by **Gen. Curtis Le May**, signed on title page (not inscribed). 1968, 341 pp. "The Uncertain Trumpet", by **Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor**, signed on title page (not inscribed). 1959, 203 pp. Three books with DJ's. Fine. [3]

162 **MILITARY LEADERS.** (\$150-250)

**Omar Bradley**, WW II General of the Army, "the GI's general", full signature on official 12th Army group card with insignia; matted with 9" x 7" bust photo in 4-star uniform, and signed letter on verso by his adjutant, Col. Hansen. **David D. Porter**, Admiral and American naval hero in Civil War. Succeeded Admiral Farragut. Signature with Chappel engraving, in uniform, matted. **Winfield Scott Schley**, Civil War naval officer, who commanded Arctic expedition to rescue Lt. A.W. Greeley. Holograph card, with rank and date. Matted with 7 1/2" x 5 1/2" photo, **William T. Sampson**, American naval officer, president of board of inquiry re destruction of Battleship Maine; destroyed Spanish fleet in Cuba. Holograph card, July 2, 1899, with matted 9" x 7" photo in uniform. Mat size of each of the above is 16" x 12". Fine. 4 items. [4]

163 **MILITARY LEADERS.** (\$125-175)

Signed photos. **Alexander Haig**; **Curtis Le May** (full color); **Chuck Yeager** (inscribed); **James Doolittle** (color, inscribed); **William Westmoreland** (full color) Each is in full military uniform. Approximately 10" x 8". 5 items. [5]

164 **MILITARY LEADERS.** (\$100-150)

Signed photos: **Thomas H. Moorer**, Admiral, U.S. Navy; **L.L. Lemmitzer**, General, U.S. Army; **Alexander Haig**, General and Secretary of State; **Stansfield Turner**, Admiral, U.S. Navy; **Bernard W. Rogers**, U.S. Army Chief of Staff; **Andrew Goodpaster**, 4-star General and SHAPE Commander. Each app. 10" x 8". (4)

165 **MILLER, HENRY V., 1891-1980. Watercolor by Henry Miller, signed, 1944. (Photo)** (\$450-700)

Noted for his sexual candor, Miller's early novels, "Tropic of Cancer" and others, were banned for many years in the U.S. His financial security was not achieved until many years later. A prolific writer in the early 40's, he acquired somewhat of a reputation as a water colorist. In his own words, "...it occurred to me that I might earn the meagre sum needed to keep afloat by selling the watercolors which I make in my moments of recreation...I like to paint and I think that whatever an artist does by way of avocation is interesting and perhaps revelatory. I know, too, that if upon my death I should have any fame as a writer these watercolors which I have been turning out for my own amusement and the amusement of my friends will have a real value". Miller was right. On those few occasions when his watercolors do come on the market they are quite eagerly sought by Miller's admirers and collectors. An abstraction in bright colors, almost surrealistic, Miller has portrayed visually his acute depth of creativity. Except for a few small and scarcely visible edge tears, it is in Fine condition. Framed and matted, the overall size is 18" x 16". The painting itself, signed and dated, is 12" x 9". (Included with the painting is a six page essay on his art by Miller, "An Open Letter to All and Sundry"). 2 items.

166 **MONROE, JAMES, 1758-1831.** †(\$100-250)

Fifth President of the United States, 1817-1825. Document signed as Governor of Virginia, folio, September 2, 1800. Commission of Sheriff William Watson as Sheriff of Nottoway County. Laid down on paper to reinforce worn creases. White seal partly torn. Despite this, a good document with strong handwriting and a fine Monroe signature.

167 **MONROE, JAMES, 1758-1831.** †(\$200-300)

Fifth President of the U.S., 1817-1825. DS, as President, small oblong folio, land grant for 160 acres in Territory of Illinois; also signed by **Joseph Meigs**, Commissioner of the Land Office and recorded by R. King. Attractive vignette engraving by S. Anderson, a noted artist, on upper left corner with white seal intact. Several very small holes in center crease. Some aging and a few light stains. A partly printed document with clear handwriting and signatures of Monroe. A nice piece for framing.

168 **MOORE, HENRY.** (\$100-150)

Leading British sculptor. Book signed and inscribed on title page "...with best wishes from Henry Moore, 1984". Large 4to, 128 pages. "Henry Moore at the British Museum" containing 150 black-and-white illustrations depicting Moore's own favorite works and the sculptures of others that he most admired. With sketches and comments by Moore. Pristine.

169 **MORGAN, J.P., 1837-1913.** ★(\$400-700)

Financier, Philanthropist, Wall St. tycoon. Document signed, long, vertical folio, New York, NY. May 7, 1906, "New York School of Applied Design for Women". Morgan has signed his name, address and dollar amount of his contribution to this institution. His contribution was \$15,000 exceeded only by John D. Rockefeller with \$25,000 (typed). Also listed as contributors are Mrs. Carnegie, Ehihu Root, etc. 2 file holes at top and some light fraying at edges, else Fine. With portrait of Morgan. 2 items. [2]

170 **MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA. (Photo)** †(\$90-120)

British military hero. Great grandson of Queen Victoria. TLS. 2 April 1965, autograph salutation and closing. Interesting letter about the television series concerning his life. Fine.

171 **MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA.** †(\$125-175)

1900-. British military hero, great grandson of Queen Victoria. TLS. 25 July 1965, autograph salutation and closing. "I have just spent a week as guest of Haile Selassie in Ethiopia".

172 **MONTGOMERY OF ALAMEIN.** (\$100-150)

Photo signed, 8" x 10", black-and-white, showing a bemedalled Montgomery in full uniform during a papal audience. Signed "Montgomery of Alamein, 1972". Fine.

173 **MUSICAL IMPRESARIOS.** (\$75-150)

FDC. **David Diamond**, **Leonard Bernstein**, **Aaron Copland**, and **Virgil Thompson**. Leading American musicians have all signed a first day cover honoring George Gershwin. Postmarked Beverly Hills, CA. Feb. 25, 1973. With a Gershwin 8¢ postage stamp and attractive Gershwin portrait vignette. Fine signatures; new condition



The People of the  
State of Illinois

On Indictment for perjury

Marie, Hinkle's began to be short in her  
Be it remembered that on this

cause was true without any objection because  
of a defect of the record, and a verdict of  
guilty rendered by the jury. That therefore the  
defendant moved in arrest of judgment because  
the record of the court does <sup>not</sup> show that the  
warrant had been returned into court by  
the Grand Jury, the warrant purporting to have  
been found at the last previous term of the  
court, <sup>and that the record of said term has never been signed by</sup>  
<sup>the clerk of said court.</sup> <sup>(See exhibit A)</sup>  
That the Attorney General entered a cross  
motion to amend the record by the judges minute  
or the docket of said previous term, which minute  
shows that said warrant, had on the last  
day of said previous term, been returned into  
court by the Grand Jury, which cross motion the  
court sustained, amended the record accordingly,  
overruled the defendants motion in arrest of  
judgment, and rendered judgment on the ver-  
dict; to wit: which <sup>order</sup> <sup>of</sup> the court the  
defendant & the exceptions, are now says  
that the his bill of exceptions be signed, sealed  
& made part of the record.

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Camp Reno A<sup>d</sup> J<sup>r</sup> 51<sup>st</sup> Regt  
P. V. Newbern N. C. June 23. 1862

L. M. Genl. Hale

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Will you please in-  
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by me, for the Regt. And also the number  
receipted for by the Surgeon (then Surgeon)

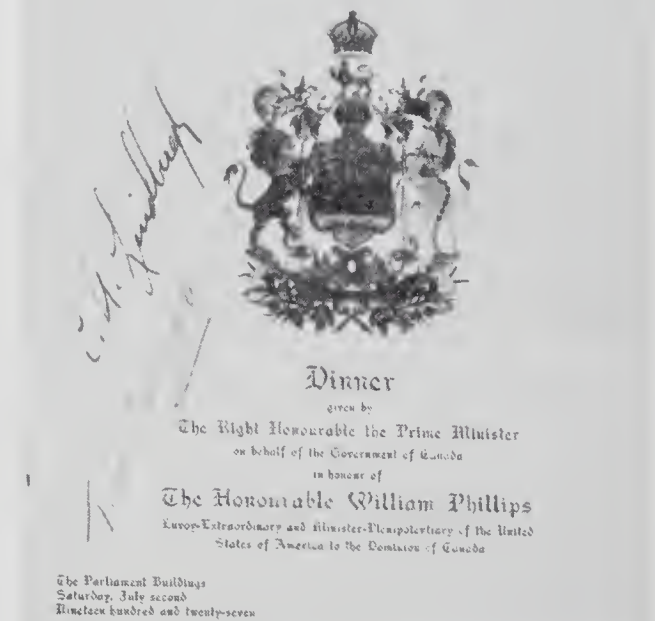
All quiet in front: No enemy here to fight. Our transportation will not allow us to go into the Interior of the state to hunt them up: We want to go to Richmond - In the grand review of our Corps d'Armee by Genl. Burnside the 57<sup>th</sup> was the largest Regt out and am proud to say was not excelled by any in other respects.

I remain your most obedient servant,

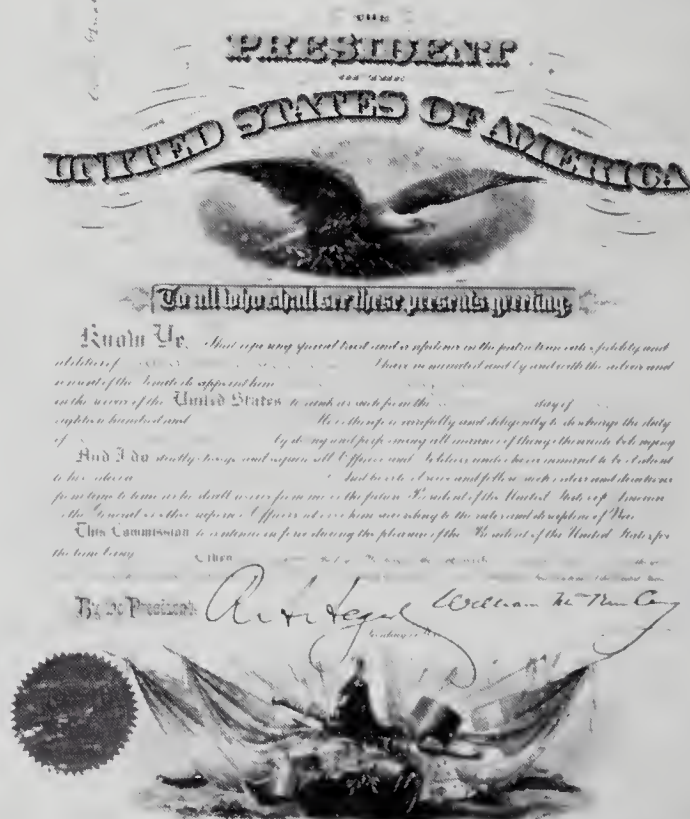
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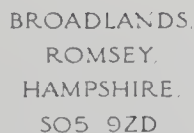


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valuable & etc. 1877.

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TELEPHONE  
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Ch. de la...

Valable pour tout Paris

Ce côté est exclusivement réservé à l'adresse.

SERVICE TELEGRAPHIQUE

TELEGRAMME

Doit être clos par l'expéditeur lui-même.

mon...  
M. Fontaine au Roi  
Paris

Le port est gratuit.  
Le nombre des mots n'est pas limité.

Paris.

Ce côté est exclusivement réservé aux indications de service.  
L'expéditeur ne doit rien y écrire.

Il ne peut être inséré dans ce télégramme ni feuille de papier, ni objet d'une nature quelconque. Le télégramme, qui aurait un poids supérieur à celui de la feuille vendue, serait mis d'office à la poste.

Depuis le 1<sup>er</sup> Février 1884, tous les quartiers de Paris sont couverts au service des Cartes pneumatiques à l'exception des parties non desservies.

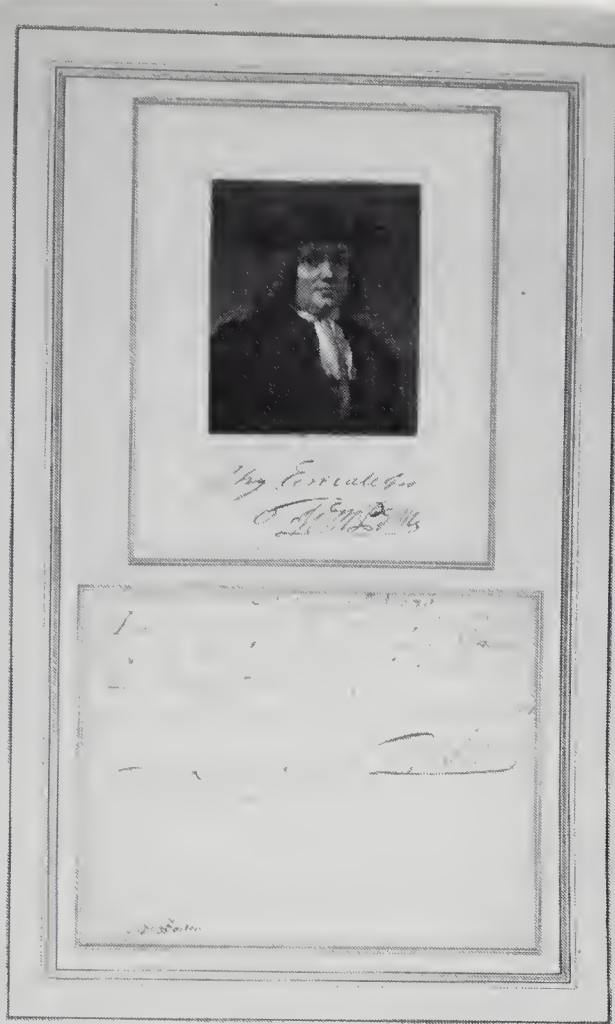
Je vous suis fort obligé de votre proposition quoique je sois loin encore d'avoir terminé mes recherches et par suite d'une application.

C'est à mon corps défendant que j'ai accepté quelques diens à Villeneuve. Je vous attends ; mais dans tous les cas, j'ai le plus grand intérêt à correspondre en bonne forme avec les diens de Villeneuve - L'Etat prévoyant doit servir à juger de la valeur de l'immobilier - Il y a à Villeneuve que des diens très répandus - le sage. J'ai maintenant avec vous - Je vais faire sortir du chenal de l'entretien les quelques diens que j'ai et tant enca. C'est là que les 8 diens ont dû prendre la garde. L. Fathery

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- 174 **MUSICIANS' AUTOGRAPHS.** (\$100-150)  
Signed books **Leonard Bernstein**, "The Infinite Variety of Music", signature on dedication page, 1966, 286 pp. Also signed by **Bernstein** on the dedication page: "The Joy of Music", 1959, 303 pp; "**Aaron Copland on Music**", 1st Ed. 1960, signed and dated, 280 pp; also signed by **Copland** "The New Music, 1900-1960", published 1968, 194 pages. Four books, signed, fine dust jackets. [4]
- 175 **NAPOLEON'S BRIDE. MARIE LOUISE, 1791-1847. (Photo)** (\$400-600)  
Daughter of Emperor Francis I, 2nd wife of Napoleon I, Mother of Napoleon II. Autograph sentiment signed "The practice of virtue is sweet at all times, but above all while the soul is bent with sorrow! To help always those more unfortunate than us is a certain means of allaying our own pain". Framed with rare engraving by Edwin after Guerard.
- 176 **NAST, THOMAS, 1840-1902. Self-Portrait. (Photo)** (\$700-Up)  
Cartoonist and illustrator, best known for his powerful cartoons attacking Tammany Hall and "Boss" Tweed. Original pen and ink self-portrait signed holdly by Nast under his drawing on blank integral leaf of engraved wedding invitation, Aug. 29, 1900. Nast has drawn himself humorously as a musical conductor with hands outstretched. His holograph inscription across the top says "Bless you. My children!" and is obviously intended for the wedding couple. Included is a scarce copy of Nast's biography, "Th. Nast, His Period and His Pictures," 1st Ed., 1904, 583pp. The original Nast signed drawing is 6 1/2" x 5 1/4" and excellent. **2 fine items.** [2]
- 177 **NIVEN, DAVID. (ERROL FLYNN AND BASIL RATHBONE). (Photo)** (\$100-150)  
Vintage movie still of Niven with Basil Rathbone and Errol Flynn as members of British Air Force. Inscribed by Niven and underneath his signature he ominously wrote, "Sole survivor unfortunately of this group!" **Fine.**
- 178 **NIXON, RICHARD M. (Photo)** (\$100-150)  
Autographed book: "Six Crises" signed and inscribed, 1st Edition, 1962, 459 pp. with owner's bookplate and small identification label on dust jacket, else **Very Fine.**
- 179 **NIXON, RICHARD M.** (\$100-150)  
37th President of the United States. An excellent 4-color portrait of a reflective Nixon at his desk; signed beneath on the white margin. 10" x 8".
- 180 **NIXON, RICHARD M.** (\$100-140)  
Autographed book: "No More Vietnams", signed and inscribed, 1985, 240 pp, D.J. Brand new.
- 181 **NIXON, RICHARD M.** (\$120-175)  
Autographed book: "The Memoirs of Richard Nixon" signed and inscribed, 1st edition, 1978, 1120 pp. Book and dust jacket both in **Very Fine** condition.
- 182 **NON-FICTION BOOKS, AUTOGRAPHED.** (\$90-135)  
"The Americans", **Alistair Cooke**, signed, inscribed, and dated, 1st Edition, 1979, 272 pp; "A Gift of Joy", **Helen Hayes**, signed, inscribed, dated, with owner's bookplate, published 1965, 254 pp; "Confessions of an Actor", **Laurence Olivier**, signed and inscribed, published 1982, 348 pp. All **three** books are in new condition.
- 183 **NOVARRO, RAMON.** (\$90-150)  
Fine vintage photo of the quintessential MGM movie idol of the 30's and 40's; 4to, black and white studio photo, signed boldly in black ink, inscribed **Fine.**
- 184 **NOVELS, AUTOGRAPHED.** (\$200-300)  
"The Word", **Irving Wallace**, signed inscribed and dated, published 1972, 568 pp; "The World according to Garp", **John Irving**, signed only, published 1976, 437 pp; "Stained Glass", **William F. Buckley, Jr.**, signed and inscribed, 1st Ed., 1978, 216 pp.; "The Robots of Dawn", **Isaac Asimov**, signed, dated, inscribed, 1st Ed. 1983, 408 pp. "Honor Thy Father", **Gay Talese**, signed, inscribed, dated, 1st Ed. 1971, 490 pp. "All the Kings Men", **Robert Penn Warren**, signed and inscribed on last blank page, first published, 1946, 473 pp. All **six** books in **Very Fine** condition. (Last two only, without dust jackets).
- 185 **PAINE, ROBERT TREAT, 1731-1814.** †(\$300-500)  
Signer; member of Continental Congress and jurist. ADS, 8vo, one page, Feb. 6, 1783. Full page written by Paine, as Attorney General of Mass. about the indictment of Thomas Gibbs of Springfield, sentenced in 1781, for passing counterfeit continental bills of credit and the activities of certain named witnesses in "detecting, apprehending, and prosecuting the said Gibbs...but I do not find in the minutes any mention (of their petition before the House of Representatives)...or I may have forgotten it." Interesting content. **Very Fine.**
- 186 **[PAINE, THOMAS] 1737-1809.** (\$125-300)  
Political philosopher and author. Printed copy of "An Essay on Dreams", n.d. 62 pp, 8vo, in which Paine denies the story of Jesus Christ and his existence..."The result is, that the story of Christ has not one trait...that bears the least resemblance to the power and wisdom of God, as demonstrated in the creation of the universe..." Paine concludes: "He that believes in the Story of Christ is an infidel to God". In quite good condition. Some fraying at edges.
- 187 **[PAINE, THOMAS.] "DECLINE & FALL OF THE ENGLISH SYSTEM OF FINANCE".** (\$200-300)  
Eaton, 1796. Second (i.e. first British) edition Tom Paine (1737-1809) author of the seminal "Rights of Man" here in line form on English finance "on the verge, nay even in the gulph of bankruptcy" written from Paris "19th Germinal, 4th year of the Republic". 44 pp. Disbound pamphlet (unsigned) but in very good condition.
- 188 **PAULING, LINUS.** (\$100-150)  
American chemist and physicist, winner of 1954 Nobel chemistry prize and 1962 peace prize. Documents signed (3) printed on parchment. Each is one page. 4to and signed holdly by Pauling, with printed text of "The Preamble of Universal Declaration of Human Rights"; Preamble to the Charter of the United Nations"; and the "Nuclear Test Ban Treaty". **Fine.** [3]
- 189 **PASTEUR, LOUIS, 1822-1895. IMPORTANT LETTER IN WHICH PASTEUR DEFENDS USE OF DOGS TO DEVELOP RABIES VACCINE. (Photo)** (\$1,500-3,000)  
Chemist and Biologist. Autograph letter signed to Mr. Bourrel. 28 March, 1883. One complete page on Telegramme form with full address on verso. Pasteur explains that he is a long way off to having finished his research and that he has only reluctantly accepted some dogs to be vaccinated (Pasteur did develop his vaccine shortly thereafter and it was used successfully - for the first time in 1885 - on a child bitten by a mad dog). "But in any case, I have the greatest interest in keeping my dogs at Villeneuve-L'Etang since they will allow us to judge the length of the immunity. At Villeneuve there are only dogs who are resistant to rabies. I want to make myself clear to you, I will let those dogs who are still in the Montmartre Kennels leave." With translation. **Very Fine. 2 items.** [2]
- 190 **PENN, WILLIAM, 1644-1718. (Photo) ★(\$4,500-Up)**  
**Holograph check signed;** oblong octavo, 7th July 1676. Written entirely in Penn's hand: "Pray pay unto the Bearer for my use the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds and place it to the account of your Sincere friend, To Fr. Robert Clayton. Wm. Penn". A fine bold signature with dark, clear handwriting. Matted artistically with a splendid engraving of Penn and professionally framed. Truly, a fine and very scarce Wm. Penn item. **Fine.**
- 191 **PENNSYLVANIA EVENING POST. ISSUE OF APRIL 18, 1776.** (\$100-150)  
America's first newspaper, published 3 days a week. 9 1/2" x 7 1/2", 4 pp. Announcement on page 1: "...election of Delegates to represent this province (Georgia) in the Grand Continental Congress, when on closing the polls, it appeared that Archibald Bullock, John Houston, Lyman Hall, Button Gwinnett and George Walton, Esqrs, were duly elected, and declared delegates accordingly..." Contains other news of Continental Congress, the Colonies, etc. Some damp stains otherwise entirely intact and clean.
- 192 **PERSHING, JOHN J., 1860-1948.** (\$75-150)  
Commander-in-Chief, American Expeditionary Force (1917-19), Chief of Staff, U.S. Army (1921-24). TLS, General of the Armies letterhead, small 4to, one page, January 31, 1928. To Nathan Strauss, philanthropist and owner R.H. Macy & Co., chosen by popular vote (1923) as citizen who contributed most for public welfare in the first quarter century of greater New York history. Gen. Pershing writes in part: "...upon the attainment of the 80th milestone in your life...your unceasing labors and untailing philanthropy have earned for you a place among the great of our time..." **Fine.**



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Monsieur Beneditte.

Je m'empresse de répondre  
à votre aimable lettre  
et vous prie de me  
mettre au courant du  
train que vous prendrez pour  
venir à Cagnes et de  
l'heure de votre arrivée soit  
à Nice, soit à Antibes,  
pour que j'envoie au devant  
de vous.

Je vous salue très  
malade: la bronchite  
annuelle et obligatoire.  
Mais je pense que cela va

meux marcher.  
Recevez mes amitiés,  
Renoir

Renoir - à Cagnes. A. M.  
7 Novembre 1914



193 **PIERCE, FRANKLIN. (1804-1869).** (\$350-700)

14th U.S. President, Congressman, Senator, U.S. General, etc. ALS, 1857 to the Cashier of the Webster Bank of Boston instructing him to pay over the dividends on Pierce's stock to Charles Minot, Cashier of the Mickamack Bank at Concord. Probably sent in anticipation of Pierce's prolonged trip to Europe (1857-1860) undertaken to divert his wife, who suffered from depression after the death of their sole surviving child in a railroad accident in early 1853. A small piece is torn off the right edge.

194 **POETS & AUTHORS (19th CENTURY).** †(\$100-150)

Cards signed: "Yours truly, Henry W. Longfellow, 1875"; "Oliver Wendell Holmes, Boston, May 11, 1875"; "John G. Whittier"; William Cullen Bryant, April 23, 1875. Each card is approximately 2" x 3" and **Very Fine**. 4 items. [4]

195 **POND, JAMES B, 1838-1903 [MARK TWAIN]. (Photo)** (\$150-Up)

American lecture manager and author: "Eccentricities of Genius". Among the famous under his management were Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain), Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, Henry Stanley and others. When Twain, with debts of over \$80,000 through poor investments, approached Pond in 1895 to arrange a lecture tour to help pay off his debtors, Pond did so, and traveled with Twain in America. These 5 original photos of Twain embarking for his overseas lectures were taken by Pond and include Pond's written comments in ink on the verso of each photo. Twain's successful tour, thanks to Maj. Pond, cleared him of all his debts. 5 original Mark Twain photos, dated, and **never published**, 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" shown with his wife and daughter. [5]

196 **PORTER, DAVID D., 1813-1891.** (\$125-175)

Rear Admiral and Civil War hero who commanded the fleet under Farragut at New Orleans and Mississippi. Later, Superintendent of U.S. Naval Academy. Document signed, U.S. Mississippi Squadron, Feb. 17, 1864, 10" x 7", partly printed; orders to 1st Class Pilot John R. Montgomery to report without delay for duty aboard the "USS Avenger" at New Albany, Indiana. Signed, "David D. Porter", Rear Admiral Comd'g Mississippi Squadron. In upper left hand corner is handwritten mileage payment to Montgomery for travel to New Albany in the amount of \$32.01.

197 **POWER, TYRONE.** (\$80-125)

Photo, signed and inscribed, vintage, 9 1/2" x 7 1/2". **Fine**.

198 **PRESIDENTS' WIVES (AUTOGRAPHS).** (\$150-200)

Lucretia Garfield, Florence Harding, Edith Roosevelt, Edith Bolling Wilson, and Frances Cleveland. Signatures of each with black and white photos (app. 10" x 8") are professionally matted, overall 16" x 12". Lou Henry Hoover, on Stanford University card. [6]

199 **PRESIDENT AND FIRST LADY.** (\$100-150)

Gerald R. Ford (B & W); Betty Ford (B & W). **Fine** autograph photos, not inscribed. 10" x 8". [2]

200 **PRESIDENT AND FIRST LADY.** (\$100-150)

Jimmy Carter (B & W); Rosalynn Carter (4-color). 10" x 8". Not inscribed. [2]

## PRESIDENTIAL FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS

200A **COOLIDGE, CALVIN, 1872-1933.** (\$150-300)

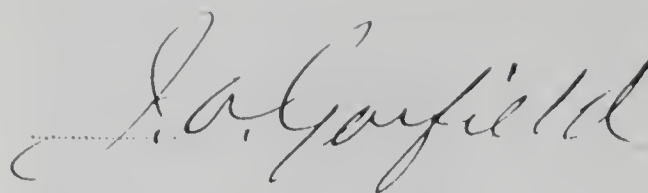
Check signed, as ex-president, Northhampton, Mass., July 19, 1932. **Fine**.

200B **FILLMORE, MILLARD, 1800-1874.** (\$200-400)

New York State stock certificate, Albany, March 16, 1948. \$500 in trust for Tonawanda Railroad Company. Sinking fund at 5%. Signed by Fillmore, as comptroller. Some signs of aging, with three small cancel holes touching letters of the signature. The document is fully intact and clearly legible.

200C **FILLMORE, MILLARD, 1800-1874.** (\$250-400)

Hudson & Berkshire Railroad Company, \$1000 Bond, Dec. 8, 1848, signed as comptroller, 32 coupons, 4 small cancellation holes through a few letters of signature. **Fine**.

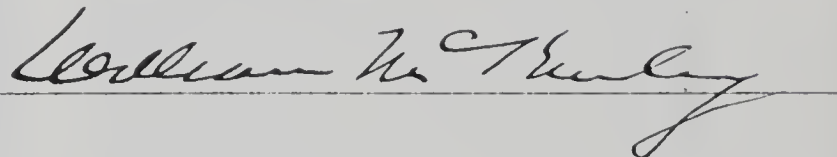


200D **GARFIELD, JAMES A., 1831-1881.** (\$300-400)

Counter-check on the Sgt. of Arms, U.S. House of Representatives, Mentor, Ohio, July 2, 1877. **Very Fine**, Scarce.

200E **HARDING, WARREN G., 1865-1923.** (\$250-400)

Check signed, as Publisher of "The Marion Star", April 2, 1908. Stamped over signature, barely touching top edge. Two small tape remnants on verso, else **Fine**.



200F **McKINLEY, WILLIAM.** (\$250-350)

Personal check, Aug. 12, 1898, initialed revenue stamp; signed as President. Nice, clean signature.

200G **McKINLEY, WILLIAM, 1843-1901.** (\$300-500)

DS, as Governor of Ohio, June 15, 1894, \$25,000. Certificate of Indebtedness: gold seal. Three cancel cuts, not affecting the signature or the very nice overall condition.

200H **ROOSEVELT, FRANKLIN D., 1882-1945.** (\$200-400)

Check, signed as Governor of New York, Spanish War Pay Refund, Albany, July 17, 1930. **Very nice signature**.

200I **TRUMAN, HARRY, 1884-1972.** (\$150-300)

Check signed as Jackson County judge, Kansas City, April 4, 1934. Cancellation stamp partially touches signature.

201 **PRESLEY, ELVIS. CHRISTMAS CARD.** (\$100-200)

Christmas card with golden pastoral scene on the cover and inside is printed Christmas greeting from ELVIS PRESLEY AND FAMILY, undated and unsigned but a fine Presley collectible.

202 **PROMINENT EDUCATORS.** (\$100-150)

Butler, Nicholas Murray, 1862-1947. American educator and author. President of Columbia University. President of Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. TLS, January 16, 1913. Columbia University, President's Room. A letter to the Editors of old Life Magazine. **Butler was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize**. Received Republican electoral vote for vice-president of U.S. Penniman, Josiah Harmar, 1868-1941. Educator and President of the University of Pennsylvania. Autograph quotation signed. "What things are in themselves is nothing. It is what they are in relation to us that counts" March 20, 1937. Phelps, William, 1865-1943. American Educator and Literary critic. Yale Professor. TLS, Yale University, 23 March, 1931. The author of *Happiness*, *The Twentieth Century Theatre*, *Reading the Bible* graciously sends some cancelled checks to a collector. **Fine**. [3]

203 **PURDY, JAMES.** ★(\$400-500)

Novelist, short story writer. Published his first successful novel, "Malcolm" in 1959. **Autograph manuscript signed**. Purdy's short story, "Lola Moon's Later Liaison", 6 pages, with **autograph letter signed**, Feb. 28, 1982, one page. Purdy says, "Here is the original manuscript...which finally found its way into print in 'CONJUNCTIONS: I Winter 1981-82', edited by Bradford Morrow". The AMS is signed twice by Purdy. His letter and manuscript are on 4to sheets. Also included, copy of the book "Conjunction", with his published manuscript. All in mint condition. [3]

204 **REAGAN, RONALD.** (\$200-300)

President of the United States, former Governor of California, and one-time movie actor. TLS, to Rudy Vallee, 4to, one page, December 7, 1966 on unusual Reagan letterhead, "Governor-elect, State of California". In part: "...how proud you've made me. It is sweet to be approved by your fellow man, but when that approval comes from those you hold in affection and esteem...it makes for a heart-warming and lasting memory...". Signed "Ron". On verso there are areas of adhesion and the small remainder of a pasted-down newspaper clipping. Some light stains on corners of the obverse, negligibly affecting the obverse; a quite nice example.



205 **RENOIR, PIERRE AUGUSTE, 1841-1919. (Photo)**  
**(\$600-750)**

French painter. A leader of the Impressionists. Famous for his figure paintings, landscapes, flowers, as well as portraits of Monet and Wagner. Autograph letter signed "Renoir" 1 1/2 pp. 8vo. Cagnes, Nov. 7, 1914. To Monsieur Beneditte. Renoir thanks his correspondent for his friendly letter. He complains of feeling ill from his annual bronchitis but still hopes to be able to meet with Beneditte. A choice example. With translation. **Fine.**

206 **REPORT OF THE U.S. TREASURY, 1796. (\$150-250)**

Printed document: Letter and report to the Hon. William Smith, Esq., Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means from Secretary of the Treasury, **Oliver Wolcott, Jr.** 4 pp, May 6, 1796. In his printed (unsigned) letter, Wolcott says "Comprising the appropriations already made and those which appear to be contemplated by bills now depending in Congress - the result of which shews (sic), that the sum of one million three hundred and ten thousand six hundred and five dollars and thirty cents, must be obtained from loans or new revenues." (The total deficit in 1796 was only \$1,310,605.30!) This document on **two pages**, estimates all expenditures and receipts, by items, resulting in the total budgeted deficit for 1796. Some foxing here and there, else a quite **Fine** piece.

207 **REPORT OF THE U.S. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, 1798. (OLIVER WOLCOTT). (\$150-250)**

Printed document. Similar in format to the previous treasury report submitted by Oliver Wolcott to the Speaker of the House. With a printed letter from Wolcott, as Secretary of Treasury, and a printed letter to Wolcott from the Comptroller, John Steele. 14 pp, with original string binding. "An Abstract of the Official Emoluments of the Officers of the Customs of the United States" for the year, 1798. Containing listings of collections from Customs officers and their locations, by income and expenditures. Ragged edges of a few pages do not affect the content. **Very Good.**

208 **REPORT OF THE U.S. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, 1796: DIRECT TAXES, 1796. (\$150-250)**

Similar printed letter and report from the Secretary of Treasury regarding a "Plan for Laying and Collecting Direct Taxes, by Apportionment Among the Several States. Agreeably to the Rule Prescribed by the Constitution". April 4, 1796. 46 pp., including an appendix of documents that are referred to in the report. From Secretary Wolcott to the Speaker of the House. This important financial document proposes a plan for our basic system of direct taxation of individuals and states. In other words, income taxes. Just a few tears. Intact and complete with string binding. **Fine.**

209 **REPORT OF THE U. S. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, 1797-98. (OLIVER WOLCOTT). (\$125-175)**

Financial Report of the U.S. Printed document, folio, 31 pp, Treasury Department, February 4th, 1880, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by Oliver Wolcott. "Letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a report with two statements relating to the Internal Revenue of the United States. On each page is listed the officers responsible for collections, state by state, listing revenues and expenditures. Pages are separated from original string bindings, but in generally **Fine** condition.

210 **REPORT OF THE U.S. TREASURY, 1805. (\$150-250)**

**Personally signed copy of Timothy Pickering.** Printed documents, similar format as above, signed at top of cover page by **Timothy Pickering** as U.S. Senator, 1905. From the Secretary of the Treasury, Albert Gallatin a printed letter and report to the Speaker of the House of Representatives concerning revenue for the years 1803 and 1804 from duties on imports, customs, passports, payments for bounties and allowances, etc., as well as all itemized expenses for those years. 15 pp. **Fine.**

211 **REPORT FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY. (\$100-150)**

"The Operations of the Mint of the United States." Similar in format to previous printed document. With printed letter from Secretary Alexander J. Dallas to Speaker Henry Clay. 7pp. Pursuant to an act of Congress passed in 1792 "establishing a Mint, and regulating the coins of the United States", this report contains information pertaining to the transactions of the mint including gold and silver bullion and minted coins. Numismatically, a significant document. **Fine.**

212 **REPORT OF THE U.S. TREASURY, 1796. (\$100-150)**

DS, folio, 4 pp; report of Secretary of the Treasury, Oliver Wolcott, Jan. 26, 1796, to the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means and presented to the House the 3rd of February, 1796. A 3-page printed letter by Wolcott to the Congress summarizes the fiscal state of the nation. Only defect is a small acid burn hole over initials on the front cover appearing to be those of Robert Morris.

213 **REPUBLICAN PARTY LEADERS. (\$90-120)**

Howard Baker, John Tower, Strom Thurmond, Jake Garn, Richard Lugar, Ted Stevens, and Jim McClure. Full color photo in Senate chambers distributed to major Republican contributors and VIP's. With seal "Republican Senatorial Inner Circle". Signed clearly on bottom of white mount by all seven senators, with wide border, photo is 10" x 8". **Fine** and ready for framing.

214 **RICKENBACKER, EDDIE, 1890-1973. (Photo) (\$300-Up)**

World War I "Ace", later becoming President of Eastern Airlines and successful businessman. He downed 26 enemy planes in the war and received Congressional Medal of Honor. Vintage photo of Captain Eddie in his uniform in front of his WW I bi-plane showing the famous "hat-in-the-ring" insignia on the side of the aircraft. A rare autographed photo signed "Cap't Eddie Rickenbacker". 1918/1962. **Fine.**

215 **ROCKEFELLER, JOHN D., 1839-1937. (\$500-700)**

Industrialist and philanthropist. Founder, Standard Oil dynasty. TLS, Pocantico Hills, N.Y., July 20, 1920, 8vo, one page, with envelope. To Mrs. N.A. Quilling, "I thank you for the beautiful photograph of yourself, Mr. Quilling, and the children..." 14 lines. Scarce. **Fine.**

216 **ROGET, PETER MARK. AUTHOR OF ROGET'S THESAURUS. (Photo) (\$150-250)**

Famed English physician and scholar. (Author of the *Thesaurus of English Words and Phrases* published in 1852 and in wide usage today.) Autograph letter signed. 18 Upper Bedford Place, June 6, 1862. Roget aided in the establishment of the University of London. "I regret exceedingly that I was unavoidably prevented from availing myself of your obliging invitation for yesterday evening". **Fine.**

217 **ROOSEVELT, FRANKLIN D., 1882-1945. (Photo) ★(\$400-Up)**

32nd President of the United States. *The Democratic Book*, 1936, signed in full by Roosevelt, as President, on an inserted special page below White House, lithograph in full color. Folio, limited and numbered edition, issued only to VIP's; 384 pp contain excellent full-page sepia photos on heavy paper of President Roosevelt, the First Lady, cabinet members, and other prominent party leaders. Leatherette binding, with gilt-stamped lettering on cover. Issued at the beginning of Roosevelt's second term, they are highly prized and closely held by their original owners. The autographed page with the colorful White House illustration is sharp and clear and could be removed for attractive framing, if desired. A fine Presidential item.

218 **ROOSEVELT, FRANKLIN D., 1882-1945. (\$100-150)**

32nd President of the United States. TLS, 4to, by Roosevelt as Asst. Secretary of War. On Navy Department stationery, April 25, 1918, thanking a contributor for his patriotic response to the U.S. Navy's call for binoculars but expressing regret that his "Binocular cannot be used and is therefore being returned..." Also, a form letter, not signed, acknowledging receipt of the glasses. [2]

219 **ROOSEVELT, FRANKLIN D., 1882-1945. (\$200-300)**

32nd President of the United States and four-term office holder. Document signed by Franklin D. Roosevelt in full, as President; partly printed 2 pages, Washington, August 3, 1942, 16" x 10". An extradition application from the President to Canadian authorities for delivery of a fugitive convicted of larceny in the U.S. Signed by FDR on 2nd page with the Acting Secretary of State. Large creamy white Presidential Seal. **Fine.**

220 **ROOSEVELT, THEODORE, 1858-1919. (Photo) ★(\$1,500-2,000)**

26th U.S. President (1901-1909) N.Y. Reform Police Commissioner. N.Y.C., Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Commander of the Rough Riders (Spanish American War); N.Y. Governor, U.S. Vice President. *ANS as President*, during the 1904 campaign, to George B. Cortelyou (1862-1940), Private Secretarial positions with President's Cleveland, McKinley and Roosevelt; Secretary of Commerce and Labor (1903-4), Roosevelt's Campaign Manager (1904-5), Postmaster General (1905-7), Secretary of the Treasury (1907-9) etc. "I hope you can do as Mr. Wolf writes; I think it would be excellent." 8-5-1904. (Philip Sang Sale, Part IV).

221 **ROOSEVELT, THEODORE, 1858-1919. (Photo) (\$250-500)**

26th U.S. President (1901-1909). Post Office appointment form for Lyle Bennehof, postmaster at Allreds, County of Allegany, N.Y. July 12, 1906. Signed by Roosevelt and George B. Cortelyou (1862-1940) Postmaster General. Clean.

222 **ROSS, GEORGE, 1730-1779. †(\$150-200)**

Signer from Delaware and member of Continental Congress. DS, 4to, August 1755. Signed by Ross as attorney in the case of Richardson vs. Campbell in the Lancaster County Court. Considerable amount of text in Ross' handwriting. Center crease has been taped on verso where separated. Sharp signature of Ross.



18 Upper Bedford Place  
W.C.  
June 6<sup>th</sup> 1862

Dear Sir

I regret exceedingly  
that I was unavoidably  
prevented from availing  
myself of your obliging  
invitation for yesterday  
evening. Believe me, Dear Sir,  
very truly yours

P. M. Roget

P. P. Gaffiot, Esq.



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Franklin D. Roosevelt

Dear Mr. Cortez  
I hope you  
can do so. Mr. Wolf  
wishes; I think it  
would be excellent  
for Roosevelt  
Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 1904

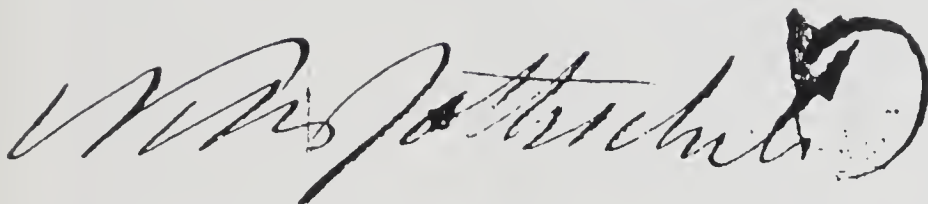
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- 223 **ROTHSCHILD, BARON NATHAN MAYER, 1777-1836.** (Photo) (\$400-600)

Son of Mayer Amschel Rothschild; he founded the London branch of the family banking business. DS, folio, Certificate for 720 Roubles, a Russian 5% loan, 1822; annuity of 36 roubles, payable in pounds sterling. Signed vertically by Rothschild on upper right margin of recto. Explanatory text on verso in English and Russian. With portrait of Rothschild. Negligible trimming on left edge, some very light soiling, otherwise fine. A difficult autograph to obtain.



- 224 **ROTHSCHILD, JAMES, 1792-1868.** (\$300-400)

Founder of the Paris Branch of the House of Rothschild, Europe's great financial dynasty. LS Paris, 29th January, 1820 to the Right Honourable Sir Charles Stuart. "I beg to apologize to your Excellency for not accompanying the bearer, Mr. Bernheim, which I am prevented doing by indisposition...I shall be most happy to follow your instructions".

- 225 **SABU.** (\$150-250)

Popular child star from India who appeared in movies in England and U.S.A. Copyrighted B & W photo, 8" x 10" from London Film Production featuring SABU in costume for his first starring role in "Elephant Boy". Sabu was just brought over from India by Robert Flaherty, the producer for the film being made at Denham Studios. It is said to be his *first signed photo* and is inscribed to "Smokey" Robinson of the Studio. Scarce. Fine.

- 226 **SAGE, RUSSELL, 1816-1906. (Photo)** (\$250-350)

American Financier. Associated with Jay Gould in stock market manipulations. Troy (N.Y.), February 18— Autograph financial document. "Please deliver to the bearer Jacob Dingman note for about \$125 due today and oblige".

- 227 **SILVERS, PHIL / VALLEE, RUDY.** (\$100-140)

Typed document addressed to Phil Silvers, 4to, on 20th Century Fox Film Corp. stationery, 1 1/2 pages, 4to, October 9, 1946. 20th Century grants permission to Silvers, with stipulations, to appear on the Rudy Vallee show: "...and you may retain for yourself, the sum of \$1000..." Agreement is signed on page 2 by both Phil Silvers and Rudy Vallee.

- 228 **SIMON SNYDER PAPERS, 1839-1913.** (\$100-150)

Civil War General whose career spanned the Indian Wars through the Spanish-American Wars. He rode with Kit Carson during Navajo Wars and organized peace talks with "Buffalo Bill" Cody among Cheyenne Indians: A group of 7 letters, documents and envelopes: 1) 5-page autograph letter signed from Snyder in 1888 to his sister from Ft. Keogh, Montana territory; 2) 4-page holograph letter to his sister (1888) from Ft. Keogh; 3) 4-page ALS from his daughter Lillie to Snyder in 1879; 4) small, unused War Dept. envelope; 5) pre-1875, 4-page letter to Snyder from his wife, with envelope and stamp from Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas; 6) 4-page letter from his wife (pre-1875); 7) mailing envelope, Reading, PA, to Snyder, July 30, 1889. Also includes newspaper obituary highlighting his military career of 4 decades.

- 229 **SOUTHEY, ROBERT, 1774-1843.** (\$100-150)

English poet, historian, and author of "Life of Nelson", "Life of Wesley", etc. ALS, one page, 12mo, n.d., n.p., (salutation removed). In part, "...Do not at any time trouble to look for one who is always in motion and therefore never to be found." With 8vo portrait engraving. [2]

- 230 **STEINMETZ, CHARLES, 1865-1923. (Photo)** (\$200-300)

Electrical engineering genius. Consultant to General Electric Company. Partially printed, holograph check, signed. Schenectady, N.Y., June 20, 1904. Steinmetz researched the theory and circulation of alternating current phenomena. He patented over 100 inventions revolutionizing the industry and changing people's lives.

- 231 **STRAUSS, JOHANN JR., 1825-1899. (Photo)** (\$450-600)

"The Waltz King". His operettas include *Indigo* and *Die Fledermaus* while his waltz *An der Schönen Blauen Donau* known to us as *The Blue Danube* is a classic. Autograph letter signed (in German). 3 pp, 8vo, Vienna, Feb. 28, 1897. Attractive letter penned on the composer's gold monogrammed stationery in which he complains of suffering from neuralgia and transmits a sheet of music. With gold monogrammed envelope (cut). A handsome example from one of the world's most beloved composers.

- 232 **SUPREME COURT.** (\$85-130)

**EARL WARREN**, former Chief Justice. "With the best wishes of Earl Warren", is inscribed and signed on a card beneath his photo in judicial robes. Both are attractively matted, 15" x 12" **PECKHAM, R.W., 1838-1909.** Associate Justice, 1896-1909, noted for his opinions on some of the most important cases in U.S. History. ALS, 4to, Supreme Court stationery Apr. 7, 1898 to Rev. Dr. A.H. Vinton. 1 1/2 pp., bold handwriting with two small tears at creases, otherwise quite fine. 2 pcs. [2]

- 233 **SWANSON, GLORIA: HER MARRIAGES.** (\$200-300)

Autograph document signed by Gloria Swanson and her first husband, Herbert K. Somborn, March 22, 1923, 2pp, legal folio. Their **child custody agreement** in which complete terms are set forth for their 3 year-old daughter including visitation rights, exclusive care and custody, education, and child support of \$25 per week. Included with the child custody agreement is her birth certificate: **Gloria Swanson Somborne** certifying that she was baptized in St. Stephens Church, Hollywood, on March 5, 1922. A third document involves **Gloria's second marriage to the Marquis de la Falaise.** A 4 1/2 page pre-nuptial agreement legal folio, in French, between the Marquis and Madame Gloria Swanson stipulates in advance of their marriage, the precise division of the respective material assets, their homes, etc. in the event of a marital break-up. This indeed happened. Notarized, undated, and still unsigned it was prepared in final form for their signatures. 3 fine Swanson documents.

- 234 **SWANSON, GLORIA.** (\$100-150)

TLS, "Gloria Swanson", 4to, one page, on personal stationery, Sept. 14, 1938 to her attorney, Loyd Wright regarding three checks endorsed by her that were held for her by the lawyer. She asks, "...will you please turn them over to the Tax Collector of the Internal Revenue to apply against the tax lieu on my company." During this period of her career Ms. Swanson had delusions of business grandeur. Although one of Hollywood's highest salaried stars, she was a financial "flop" when she attempted to produce her own movies. With contemporary photo of Swanson. Letter has two file holes at top and is stamp docketed by her lawyer not affecting content or fine condition. 2 items. [2]

- 235 **SWANSON, GLORIA.** (\$200-300)

Stock certificate of "Multiprises, Inc.", signed twice by the late movie actress, owner of the motion picture company. **Number 2** of the stock issue. The company was initially financed with the aid of Joseph Kennedy, father of the President. An uncommon financial document.

- 236 **THOMSON, CHARLES, 1729-1824.** †(\$100-150)

**Secretary of the Continental Congress, 1774-89;** on behalf of the Congress, he notified General Washington of his election to the Presidency. DS, small 4to, 1 page, signed by Thompson, as Secretary. Manuscript Resolution of the Continental Congress, dated May 27, 1782. In full: "Resolved: That inasmuch as Business of the greatest consequences is often delayed..." Fine.

- 237 **THOMSON, VIRGIL, 1896-.** (\$200-300)

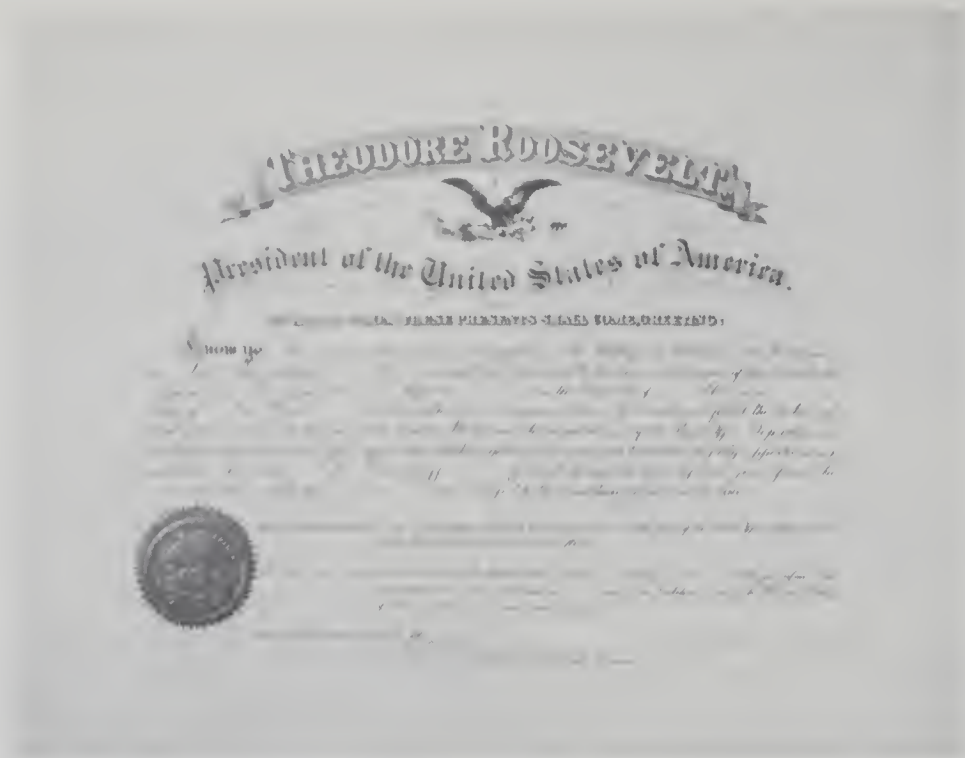
Composer and music critic. In addition to his numerous symphonies and classical music, he wrote scores for films, including "Louisiana Story", for which he won a Pulitzer prize. Unusual signed card, 5" x 8", with a holograph title and several bars of music from his "4 Saints in 3 Acts". He also signed a typewritten description of his present life-style, in part: "...One thing I don't do very much anymore is go out to hear music...the slight decay of my auditory nerve has rendered musical sound somewhat less than pleasant. The bloom is off the rose so to speak...But I adore writing music, because I hear it all in my head, and that sounds wonderful."

- 238 **SCHWAB, CHARLES, 1862-1939.** †(\$150-200)

Outstanding American industrialist and financier; President of Carnegie Steel who negotiated the sale of Carnegie properties to J.P. Morgan group and at 39 became first president of U. S. Steel. Later, unsound business ventures depleted his resources and he died insolvent and virtually friendless. Magnificent **signed photo** sepia, 13" x 10", in black ink on lower blank margin. In photographer's original folder. Pristine.

- 239 **SPINNER, FRANCIS E., 1802-1890.** †(\$200-300)

American hanker, politician, Treasurer of the U.S. (1861-1875). Three volumes, **signed six times**, from the personal library of Spinner. "Report of Commissioner of Patents" to the Congress (with many patent drawings). Complete set, 1858, each book is signed by him in two places (on title page and on a second page); a total of six autographs. 8vo, averaging 750 pp each, **very good** condition with signs of wear, all pages intact, some foxing. Signatures are clear and dark.



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Kane

Fri Feb 14, 1906

To L. L. by C. L. L.

Plum deliver to the Bureau Jacob D. Stinson

Note for amount of \$122 - due to pay and oblige

R. L. L.

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No. 642 Schenectady, N.Y. June 20<sup>th</sup> 1904

THE SCHENECTADY TRUST COMPANY.

"Say to we are r of")

To L. L. Co \$20.30

Twenty Dollars 30¢ Dollars

Charles P. Steinmetz

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Seitdem Sie  
den Brief  
erhielten



Gefragter Koffer und Form!  
Morgen Sie sind ich auf  
Sende Ihre Briefe und  
Zählzeit. Das war  
ein sehr sehr sehr  
freundt mich davon und  
anregender, arbeiten  
infolgt. Wie will ich

früher nachfolgt, weil ich  
bei den geschäftlichen und  
auch jede Ihre beigefügten  
Notenblatt und ganz in Form  
wird autographisch. Gracit  
ausfallen in Lichte der gütigen  
Antwort und werde ich  
Ihre Dank in der Art  
realisieren, welche Ihre  
Gutwilligkeit.

Mit dem besten  
meiner Gefühle  
und Freundschaft Ihr

Lovindram  
Johann Strauß

Wien 28. Februar

C. S. and Co

Dear Sir

your favor of the 18th ult.  
is received your road isment is just the same as to the  
transportation of freight from New Haven - I hope  
that there will be people enough to carry it as  
soon as it is known that the route is open this  
place. No doubt of - but of the 8th. think other  
wise than they might not accordingly. It is rather  
late to know alone of probabilities but it may  
be possible to do - it strikes me that even is left within  
that branch of business as it seems to me that  
the freighting from New Haven it can be done  
within 10 or 15 days - and I understand from you  
that the travel is to be continued on the 1st  
of April which I think opinion is decidedly that if the  
freighting is thrown upon them they will be  
it will operate greatly to the advantage of the  
Rail Road

Very Respectful

Yours truly  
C. S. and Co

New York March 5th



To all who shall see these presents greeting

Whereas the President of the United States of America  
has received from the Secretary of the Navy  
a report of the condition of the Navy  
and the President of the United States of America  
has approved of the same and has ordered  
that the same be published for the information  
of the people of the United States of America  
Therefore the President of the United States of America  
do hereby certify that the above report is true  
and correct and that the same is published  
for the information of the people of the United States of America



- 240 **SPORTS: TRACK & FIELD.** (\$150-250)  
Associated Press photos (unsigned) of outstanding track stars of the 30's and 40's in action: Jesse Owens, Glen Cunningham, Cornelius Warmerdam, Gunder Haegg, Buddy Young, and others equally famous. Just about every track luminary that ever won a world championship during that exciting period of track and field. Each of the 96 photos (octavo and quarto sizes) has a caption completely describing the event, as reported by the A.P. News Service. Collection of a longtime track enthusiast. **Fine** condition. [96]
- 241 **TAFT, WILLIAM H., 1857-1930.** (\$150-200)  
27th U.S. President, Jurist, First Civil Governor of the Philippines (1901-4); famous for his "our little brown brothers" remark. Secretary of War (1904-1908); U.S. President (1909-1913); Chief Justice, U.S. Supreme Court (1921-1930). TLS, letter to Congressman J. Warren Keifer of Ohio, June 14, 1908, acknowledging receipt of a letter, War Dept. stationery.
- 242 **TAFT, WILLIAM HOWARD, 1857-1930.** (\$225-450)  
27th U.S. President, etc. Commission of Walker Waller Joynes as a captain in the Revenue Cutter Service October 31, 1910. Signed by Taft and Franklin MacNeagh (1862-1934), U.S. Secretary of the Treasury and Chicago reformer. Water stained at the left with blue ink rivulets.
- 243 **TAYLOR, ROBERT.** (\$75-125)  
Fine early photo, signed and inscribed, stamped on verso with his name and studio, MGM. 10" x 8".
- 244 **THACKERAY, WILLIAM MAKEPEACE, 1811-1863.**  
**THREE ORIGINAL PENCIL SKETCHES BY THE GREAT ENGLISH AUTHOR OF VANITY FAIR.** (Photo) (\$300-500)  
Sketch of building with Gargoyle, portrait of woman and another light sketch. Who is the woman? Can you identify the building? English novelist. Wrote under many pseudonyms including Michael Angelo Titmarsh, James Yellowplush, George Savage Fitzboodles and others. Famous as the author of "Henry Esmond", "The Newcomer", "The Virginians". A contributor to Punch with Pen and Pencil.
- 245 **TRUMAN, HARRY S., 1884-1972.** (\$100-150)  
FDC, signed and dated 2-26-68 by the former U.S. President; issued by the country of Monaco, commemorating the International Philatelic Exposition in New York, 1956. With beautiful color scene of Monacan harbor and two large commemorative stamps depicting Presidents F.D.R. and Abraham Lincoln, postmarked March 4, 1956. Very attractive with fine Truman signature.
- 246 **TRUMAN, HARRY S., 1884-1972 / ROOSEVELT, ELEANOR, 1884-1962.** (\$200-300)  
The former President of the United States and FDR's First Lady boldly signed a copy of Mrs. Roosevelt's autobiography, "On My Own". First edition, 1958, limited edition, signed by Mrs. Roosevelt for advance presentation to her friends. Also signed on the title page by Harry Truman. Cloth bound, 9 1/2" x 6", not inscribed. **Fine** condition.
- 247 **TYLER, JOHN, 1790-1862. (Photo)** (\$400-600)  
10th President of the U.S. (1841-1845) who became President on death of William K. Harrison. Partly printed document signed in full as President, countersigned by Secretary of War, Wm. Wilkins. 1 page, large folio, Washington, Feb. 17, 1845, on vellum. Appointment of Joseph J. Reynolds, as Brevet Second Lieutenant of Artillery. Vignettes of eagle at top and flags, cannon, etc. at bottom with perfect white Presidential seal. Joseph J. Reynolds was graduated in same West Point class as U.S. Grant, later served in Texas, 1845, 1846, where he received this commission. A **fine** document, with clear signatures and writing. Usual folds, not affecting appearance. (From the Philip Sang Collection).
- 248 **VANDERBILT, CORNELIUS, 1794-1877. (Photo)** (\$800-1,000)  
Financier, steamship and railroad promoter who created one of the nation's greatest systems of transportation. Autograph letter signed, full page framed with portrait New York 20 March '50. An important letter about freight rates to Mr. Pond. "My opinion is divided by that if the freighting is thrown open it will operate greatly to the advantage of the railroad
- 249 **VANDERBILT, WILLIAM II., 1821-1885.** (\$150-250)  
Son of Commander Cornelius Vanderbilt who inherited bulk of the family fortune. President, N.Y. Central Railroad. DS, folio, June 30, 1865, 4 pages. An agreement between Vanderbilt and John B. Dutcher of the town of Pawling, Dutchess County, N.Y. Vanderbilt, as President of the N.Y. and Harlem RR agrees to lease land to Dutcher four square blocks of land in New York City "being certain premises upon which the said company have established a Hotel and Cattle Yards..." Interesting document relative to the early use of the railroad's property in the heart of present day Manhattan. **Signed twice by Vanderbilt** and Dutcher on page 4. Four tax stamps on the document are initialed "WHV". Green notary seal near signatures. **Fine**.
- 250 **VANDERBILT, W.H.; CORNING, ERASTUS; ET AL., 1821-1885.** (\$200-300)  
Agreement between the New York Central RR and the Hudson River RR regarding the haulage of freight and passengers between Albany and New York City. Signed in full at close by Erastus Corning, Azariah Boody and H.H. Baxter for the N.Y. Central RR and W.H. Vanderbilt, H.F. Clark, Augustus Schell and Alin Charlie for the Hudson River RR and the Harlem Railroad. Written entirely by hand, probably by one of the signers. **Fine** document and signatures.
- 251 **VICE-PRESIDENTS (10).** (\$300-500)  
Daniel Tompkins, 7th VP, closing of autograph letter (Pres. Monroe); Levi Morton, signature (Pres. Benjamin Harrison); William A. Wheeler, signature (Pres. Hayes); Henry Wilson, closing of letter (2nd term of Pres. Grant); Schuyler Colfax, inscribed card signed, (1st term of Pres. Grant); Thomas A. Hendricks, closing of ALS (died first year in office, under Pres. Cleveland); Charles W. Fairbanks, signature (Theodore Roosevelt); Thomas R. Marshall signature (Pres. Wilson); Charles Dawes, signature (Pres. Coolidge); Charles Curtis, card signed, Washington D.C., 5-7-29 (Pres. Hoover). Each autograph is attractively matted with large portrait of Vice-Presidents. Mat size 16" x 12". An interesting group of 10 items, ready for framing. **Fine**.
- 252 **WALPOLE, ROBERT, 1676-1745.** (\$100-150)  
First Prime Minister of Great Britain, said to have laid foundation of free trade and modern colonial policy. Document signed R. Walpole requisitioning funds for "Land and Sea Services performed and to be performed by the Office of his Majesty's ordinance." Folio, April 19, 1726. Addressed to the Earl of Halifax, it is co-signed by Chas. Turners, Geo. Darlington, and Wm. Strickland. Several edge tears and 1" split at center fold; some staining. Signatures and writing are dark and clear.
- 253 **WARHOL, ANDY.** (\$125-175)  
American artist and movie producer. Famous for his pop art. "Andy Warhol, His Early Works, 1947-1959." 72-page soft cover book, signed on title page, "Andy Warhol", 4to, oblong. Depicts his drawings and sketches shown at an exhibition of his work, New York City, 1971. In excellent condition.
- 254 **WARHOL, ANDY.** (\$75-100)  
Soft cover book, signed on title page, "Raid the Ice Box, with Andy Warhol". An exhibition catalog of art selected from the storage vaults of the Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design. 1969-70; 103 pp., profusely illustrated, color and B & W. **Fine**.
- 255 **WEBSTER, DANIEL, 1782-1852.** †(\$110-175)  
American statesman who gained fame as an orator, U.S. Secretary of State. ALS, while Secretary of State, Washington, Dec. 10, 1842, 12mo, ordering writing and enclosing in cash the amount due. Also engraved portrait. Both are attractively laid in a larger sheet for framing, overall: 13" x 8 1/2". **Fine**.
- 256 **WHITE, STANFORD, 1853-1906. (Photo)** (\$400-600)  
Architect. At dinner in his apartment in the old Madison garden, he was shot to death, June 25, 1906, by Harry K. Thaw, jealous husband of a former chorus girl and friend of White. DS, folio, "The Nissequoque Trout Club", #17 in a series of \$100 mortgage bonds, December 1, 1894, signed "Stanford White", as president and E.M. Smith, as secretary. Fine red cancel lines have been drawn though both signatures, hut an attractive and scarce signed document.
- 257 **WHITEMAN AND KOSTELANETZ, ORCHESTRA LEADERS.** (\$150-200)  
Letters to Rudy Vallee signed by Paul Whiteman, famed jazz orchestra leader of the 20's, 30's, and 40's and Andre Kostelanetz, outstanding maestro of the same period. Whiteman writes to thank Vallee for a radio "plug" and Kostelanetz writes regarding a record "Whispers in the Dark". Mounting traces remain on bottom blank area of the Whiteman letter otherwise both are **Fine**.

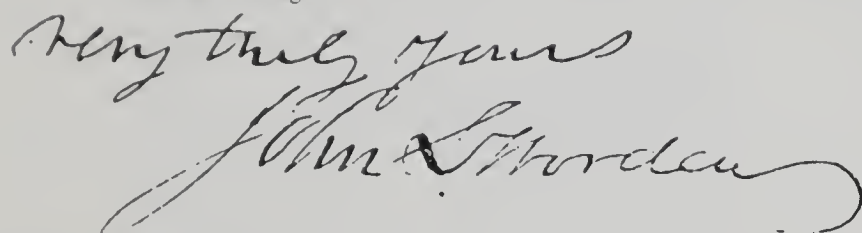






- 258 **WILLIAMS, WILLIAM; ELLSWORTH, OLIVER.** "The Lexington Alarm." (Photo) (\$400-600)

Autograph document by William Williams (1731-1811) Conn. signer of Declaration of Independence with his full signature in text. Signed below by Oliver Ellsworth, second Chief Justice of U.S. 1 page, small quarto, Hartford, July 4, 1775. "Pay to Wm. Williams the sum of twenty pounds, to be by him improved towards paying expenses occurred in the town of Lebanon in the late Alarm, & towards paying for Arms. He is directed to procure for the use of the colony..." Signed by members of Pay Table Committee. On verso Williams has also signed in full a receipt, date July 5, 1775, Hartford. When word of the Battle of Lexington and Concord (April 19, 1775) in Massachusetts reached Connecticut, troops were sent by that Colony to assist the patriots, known as "The Lexington Alarm". A scarce document in Fine condition, with clear, dark handwriting.



- 259 **WORDEN, JOHN LORIMER, 1818-1897.** ALS, of Commander of Monitor vs Merrimac. (Photo) (\$300-400)

American Naval Officer in Civil War. Famed for victoriously commanding the *Monitor* in battle with the Confederate battleship *Merrimack* (March 9, 1862). Later he sank the Confederate Cruiser *Nashville* and attacked Charleston. Autograph letter signed to an official in Washington. 3 pages, 148 Columbia Street, Brooklyn, June 20, 1867. With portrait. "I do not desire to go on duty for some time as I am anxious to make a long visit to my mother in the West. In the fall, with your leave, I should like to visit Washington to advise with you in relation to my future status."

- 260 **WILSON, WOODROW, 1856-1924.** †(\$150-200)

28th President of the United States (1913-21). LS, as president of Princeton, Sept. 10, 1896. 8vo, 1 1/2 pp. In a gracious letter to a member of the University Club, Wilson declines an invitation to lecture, "...I haven't many lecture engagements for the coming winter but I have much important literary work on hand..." Clear and Fine. With postmarked envelope. [2]

- 261 **WILSON, WOODROW, 1856-1924. (Photo)** (\$150-300)

28th U.S. President, President of Princeton, Governor of N.J., etc. Post Office Commission form for James Nagle at Concord Junction, Middlesex County, MA. December 13, 1913. Signed by Wilson; also by Albert Sydney Burleson (1863-1937), Postmaster General (1913-1921) Texas Congressman, etc. Aged around the edges where matted; stains in the corners; a long tear up from the bottom.

- 262 **PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON'S CABINET.** (\$120-175)

Autographs: **Josehus Daniels**, Secty of Navy (on official card); **Lindley Garrison**, Secty of War (on official card); **Thomas Gregory**, Attorney General (cut from Pres. document); **Franklin Lane**, Secty of Interior (official card); **William McAdoo**, Secty of Treasury (official card, dated); **William Redfield**, Secty of Commerce; **William Wilson**, Secty of Labor; **David Houston**, Secty of Agriculture, Secty of Treasury. Each cabinet member's autograph is matted with large black and white portrait; overall size, ready for framing, 16" x 12". A Fine group. 8 items. [8]

- 263 **WITHERSPOON, JOHN, 1723-1794.** (\$200-300)

Signer of Declaration of Independence from New Jersey. He was the only clergyman signer. Document signed, one page, 3" x 7 1/2", 1772. Beneath three lines of text stating "Dr. Witherspoon" is to pay John Denton for 1500 feet of half-inch pine, Witherspoon adds in his own writing, "Sir, Please pay the above acct." and signs his name. Fine example.

- 264 **WOOD, NATALIE.** (\$100-150)

Glamorous American Film Star of *West Side Story* and other famous movies. Signed photograph of the popular screen personality who was drowned mysteriously. The photograph with Sean Connery is from the suspense drama *Meteor* which also starred the legendary actors, Trevor Howard and Henry Fonda.

- 265 **WRIGHT, ORVILLE, 1871-1948.** (\$300-500)

With his brother Wilbur, they were inventors and aviation pioneers who engineered the first successful flight at Kitty Hawk, N.C. on Dec. 17, 1903. Check signed, Orville Wright, The Winters National Bank, Dayton, Ohio, March 10, 1917. Filled in and signed by Orville Wright, the signature is clear, bold and free of any cancellation marks. An excellent specimen.

- 266 **WYNN, ED, 1886-1966.** (\$100-150)

"The Perfect Fool"; star of radio, TV, stage, and the movies. Started in radio in 1932 as the "Texaco Fire Chief", one of radio's longest runs. He won a TV Emmy for his role in "Requiem for a Heavyweight" in 1956. Vintage photo, 4to, "Sincerely, Ed. Wynn.", wearing his Fire Chief helmet. One small corner missing and short tear on bottom margin, neither affecting this classic Ed Wynn photo.

- 268 **YOUNG, BRIGHAM, 1801-1877. (Photo)** (\$300-Up)

Religious leader; founder of the Mormon Church; Railroad executive. DS. Check of the Utah Southern Railroad, 3" x 8", signed by Brigham Young, as President. Ornately printed check with fine, clean signature.

- 267 **WYNN, ED, 1886-1966.** (\$150-250)

Star of radio, stage, and movies. Also, a successful businessman who formed his own production company. Document signed. A pristine stock certificate of Keenan Productions Inc., signed by **Ed. Wynn**, certifying that Ed Wynn is the owner of 100 shares of his own company stock. Dated Jan. 18, 1932. Green trim and seal, with eagle vignette.

## MAIL BID ONLY

- 300 **AMBASSADORS, U.S.A.** (\$50-100)

Interesting lot of 10 signed letters of Ambassadors in the Foreign Service of the United States: **Charles Bohlen**, **Cavendish Cannon**, **Gerald Drew**, **Albert Nufer**, **Wm. H. Taft III**, **Edward Lawson**, **Joseph Simonson**, **Wm. Allen**, **Angus Ward**. All to the same writer responding to request for autographs. All fine and 9 are on official Foreign Service stationery.

- 302 **AIRCRAFT MEMORABILIA, JULY 25, 1937.** (\$50-100)

On above date, the U.S. Coast Guard seaplane, V114, was abandoned at sea in a memorable incident occurring when the plane crashed at sea while on an errand of mercy. In attempting the rescue the "USS Dalgren" was damaged by heavy seas. Widely reported at that time, this incident is documented by four signed affidavits from Coast Guard seamen that were involved. A photo of the stricken aircraft, and other items, are included in this group.

- 301 **ADAMS, MAUDE.** (\$75-125)

Well known American actress of the legitimate stage, who appeared with John Drew and starred in "Little Minister", "Peter Pan", etc. Vintage photo signed, and dated, 1898, printed by the Odrony Publishing Company, 11 E. Sixteenth Street, New York. Stamped on verso "Siegel-Cooper Co. New York Picture Company 6 1/2" x 4" Fine.

- 303 **ASTOR, VINCENT.** (\$45-70)

Descendant of John Jacob Astor and socially prominent businessman of New York City. LS. On personal stationery, 4to, one page, New York, June 4, 1931. A gracious letter acknowledging request of an admirer for a signed photograph.

- 304 **ASTOR, WILLIAM WALDORF, 1848-1919.** (\$70-125)

Great-grandson of John Jacob Astor; U.S. Minister to Rome; novelist; later became naturalized British subject, financier and journalist in England. DS. 6 1/2" x 8"; Power to Transfer Stock, signed W.W. Astor, Executor, of an estate, August 30, 1877. Fine.

- 305 **BEECHER, HENRY WARD, 1813-1887.** (\$60-100)

American Clergyman and Lecturer, Pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn. Spoke against slavery and for women's rights. ALS. February 8, 1884 "I am tired of lecturing", etc.

- 306 **BRITISH ACTORS.** (\$80-125)

Signed photos, 10" x 8" of **Rex Harrison**, **Richard Burton** (inscribed) and **Michael Caine**. Strong signatures on light areas. Fine. 3 items. [3]



- 307 **BURTON, HAROLD H., 1888-1964.** (\$60-100)  
Before being named to U.S. Supreme Court by President Truman, Burton was a U.S. Senator, 1940-45. ALS, U.S. Senate Stationery, Washington, Oct. 19, 1943. 8vo, one page. In part, "...success with your collection of autographs and I hope it will lead you to take an affirmative part in the public affairs and responsibilities of your time and community...". **Fine.**
- 308 **CANFIELD, WILLIAM (political cartoonist).** (\$75-150)  
Nationally recognized political satirist and cartoonist for the Newark (N.J.) Star-Ledger. Original pen and ink art work for **five** cartoons that appeared in the Star-Ledger, on following subjects: "Freedom In South America"; "Congressional Hearings"; "The Oil Glut"; "Europe's Missiles"; and "Problems of President Aquino". Each drawing is app. 10" x 12" and ready for framing. With usual pencilled editorial notations along white margins. **Very fine.**
- 309 **CARTER, JIMMY.** (\$50-75)  
Book boldly signed, "J. Carter" on blank fly leaf, soft cover, 1983. New condition.
- 310 **CHOATE, RUFUS, 1799-1859 / CHOATE, JOSEPH, 1832-1917.** (\$50-75)  
**Rufus Choate**, cousin of Joseph, succeeded Daniel Webster as U.S. Senator from Massachusetts. As an attorney, he was unsurpassed in Criminal law. DS., 4 pages, 4 to, on legal matter, Sept. 5, 1848. **Joseph Choate**, diplomat, lawyer. His disclosure of New York's Tweed Ring led to its demise. Card signed, "Yours Truly, Joseph H. Choate, New York, 24 June '96." Also in this lot are various related documents, newspaper clippings, and pictures of both. **8 items.** [8]
- 311 **COOPER, PETER, 1791-1883.** (\$60-100)  
Businessman, inventor, and philanthropist. Financial supporter of Cyrus W. Field, he was instrumental with Field in laying the first Trans-Atlantic Cable in 1859. Postcard to J.B. Dinwell, signed with large bold signature of Cooper, dated 1883, in full: "As I had occasion to refer to you in my 'Ideas for a Science of Good Government', page 391-393, 396 - please accept the accompanying volume. I read your book with pleasure and profit." Comes with engraving of Cooper. **2 fine items.** [2]
- 312 **CORNELL, ALONZO B., 1832-1904.** (\$60-100)  
Son of noted financier, Ezra Cornell; Governor of New York (1879-1883); founder of Western Union Telegraph. Manuscript letter signed on imprinted Western Union stationery. 1 1/2 pages, octavo, New York, Aug. 25, 1876 to E.W. Stoughton, in which he thanks Stoughton for his political support at the last convention and he looks forward to demonstrating his appreciation... **Fine** condition.
- 313 **DICKINSON, JOHN, 1732-1808.** (\$75-100)  
Member Continental Congress; opposed separation from England, voted against Declaration of Independence. Member from Delaware to the convention that framed the Constitution, 1787. Folio, oblong, partly printed document, signed by John Dickinson, as president of the state supreme executive council of Pennsylvania. Oct. 3, 1785. Sale of land in Berks County, 400 acres, at 10 pounds per 100 acres. Mostly quite presentable, except for separation at one fold, which is taped through most of the first name in Dickinson's signature, but a bold signature with magnificent paraph.
- 314 **DONAT, ROBERT.** (\$50-100)  
A youthful Robert Donat, photographed at the apex of his career as one of Hollywood's best-known leading men. Photo, signed, not inscribed, 8" x 6", B & W. **Fine.**
- 315 **EDISON, CHARLES.** (\$35-50)  
Son of Thomas Edison, President and Director of Thomas A. Edison, Inc., Secretary of Navy (1939-1940), Governor of New Jersey (1941-44). DS, check of Edison Botanic Research Corp., West Orange, N.J., April 25, 1928, to Industrial Alcohol Co.; signed Charles Edison, Pres-Vice President. Small cancellation holes not touching signature.
- 316 **EISENHOWER, MAMIE DOUD.** (\$50-80)  
First Lady, autograph on printed Presidential card expressing her appreciation for letter of concern during president's illness. Some soiling.
- 317 **ENGLISH CHARTER DOCUMENT. 550 YEARS OLD.** (\$75-150)  
Private document dated at Saltfleetby, 20 September 1438, sealed by the Grantor and witnessed by William Odeson of Saltfleetby, Richard Barrett, John Coupland and others. "...a plot of land...with buildings upon it...which plot and buildings Sibyl had by grant of Sir Walter Drury and Sir William Jonson." (All places mentioned are in Lincolnshire). **Fine.**
- 318 **ERSKINE, JOHN, 1879-1951.** (\$35-60)  
Prominent American author; outstanding musician turned writer of Books, "The Private Life of Helen of Troy", signed with inscription. "To Dorothy and Howard from John Erskine with happy memories of Casa Colie, August 1945." 8 vo, first edition, 1925, cloth, fine condition with tattered dust jacket. "Helen of Troy" was Erskine's all-time best seller, translated into 16 languages.
- 319 **FAIR, JAMES, 1831-1887. (MEMOS)** (\$35-60)  
Gold and silver miner, who amassed fortune and represented Nevada in the U.S. Senate. Three handwritten memos circa 1970's from Carson City, Nevada, addressed to Comstock Lode Silver King and signed. All contain information regarding lumber purchases for Fair's mining ventures. [3]
- 320 **FAIRBANKS, DOUGLAS, JR., 1909-.** (\$50-100)  
Splendid vintage photo, sepia, with bold signature on lower blank area, 5 1/2" x 3 1/2".
- 321 **FORD FAMILY AUTOGRAPHS.** (\$50-100)  
The late **Henry Ford II**, **Benson Ford** and **William Clay Ford** have each signed their names individually on cards, which can be easily removed from larger sheet. **3 fine** signatures of the Ford dynasty.
- 322 **GIELGUD, JOHN.** (\$50-75)  
Vintage photo (1937) of a young Gielgud, dated, signed "With best wishes"; photo by Dorothy Wilding, London, 9" x 6 1/2", some soiling, else quite nice.
- 323 **[GRANAHAN, KATHRYN] TREASURER OF THE U.S.** (\$25-40)  
United States Treasurer, 1965-1969 under U.S. Treasury Secretaries, Dillon, Fowler, and Barr. Photo unsigned of the new Treasurer, Mrs. Kathryn Granahan being shown by Henry Holtzclow, director of the Bureau of Engraving the space where her signature will be placed on the \$1 bill. Mrs. Granahan was sworn into office at the White House in the presence of President Kennedy.
- 324 **FORD, HENRY II.** (\$50-75)  
FDC, signed by Ford II, showing colorful image of his father driving the original model "T" on cover commemorating the life of the company founder. Contains commemorative stamp of the elder Ford 1863-1947. Fine for the collector of Ford memorabilia.
- 325 **[HAMILTON, ALEXANDER] 1755-1804.** (\$60-90)  
American Statesman and first U.S. Secretary of Treasury. Handwritten document naming Alexander Hamilton in the text as attorney for the defendant in a plea before the court of the City of New York. 8vo, one page, n.d., 15-line, document in another hand mentions Alexander Hamilton's name three times in the plea. **Fine** condition.
- 326 **[HARRISON, BENJAMIN] 1833-1901. PRESIDENTIAL LAND GRANT.** (\$75-150)  
President of the U.S., 1889-1893, grandson of Wm. Henry Harrison. Secretarial signature of Harrison on land dated August 24, 1891, as president. Some soiling with attractive red presidential seal.
- 327 **HEIFETZ, JASCHA, 1901.** (\$75-100)  
Signature, dated 1944, on verso of 10 lire, Allied Military currency, 2" x 3"; signed apparently during a war-time tour by Heifetz for U.S. troops in Italy. **Fine.**
- 328 **HOLLYWOOD LEADING MEN** (\$75-100)  
**Sylvester Stallone**; **Sean Connery** (younger); **Clint Eastwood** (great western pose with 2 guns!). **3 fine** B & W photos, 8" x 10".
- 329 **HOLLYWOOD LOVELIES.**  
**Sophia Loren**, **Deborah Kerr** (fine, vintage), **Jacqueline Bisset**, and **Phyllis Diller** (a bonus "lovely"). All B & W, except Diller in full-color, 8" x 10". **4 items.** [4]
- 330 **HOLLYWOOD VETERANS.** (\$100-150)  
**John Gielgud** (in "Arthur"); **Jimmy Stewart**, 7" x 5". **Jimmy Cagney**, 8" x 10", all B & W. **3 items, fine.** [3]
- 331 **INGERSOLL, JARED, 1749-1822.** (\$65-100)  
American jurist, a close friend of Benjamin Franklin, member of the Continental Congress, the Constitutional Convention; and signer of the Constitution in 1787. Clipped signature from document with portrait of Ingersoll, matted and ready for framing. A quite uncommon signature.



## 332 [LINCOLN, ABRAHAM] MEMORABILIA. (\$65-Up)

Abraham Lincoln memorabilia. 1) Ornate document 9" x 11 1/2". "The Lincoln Farm Association", with Lincoln portrait and vignettes, attractive red seal, and facsimile signatures of officers and directors: Wm H. Taft, Mark Twain, Horace Porter, Jos. Choate, etc. 2) Printed Poem, folio, "Lincoln, The Man of the People" signed personally by the poet, Edwin Markham. 3) Full-color portrait reproduction of Lincoln, 12" x 9", published by Kimmel & Forster, N.Y.C. 3 interesting items. [3]

## 333 LITERARY AUTOGRAPHS, 19TH &amp; 20TH CENTURY. (\$50-75)

Autographs: **William Cullen Bryant**, dated July 5, 1875, mounted on 3" x 5" card; **Mrs. D.M. Craik**, popular Victorian novelist (ending of letter); **Alfred Noyes**, Albany, Feb. 19, 1915 (clipped from title page of "Collected Poems, Vol. I"); **Joseph Pulitzer** (letter signed, cut at bottom, and mounted); **Kate Douglas Wiggin**, signed photo, (2 letters missing from her signature). 5 items. [5]

## 334 LONG, HUEY P., 1893-1935. (\$60-Up)

Governor and U.S. Senator from Louisiana. In August 1935, he announced his candidacy for President, against Roosevelt. A month later he was shot and died at Baton Rouge, LA. DS, State of Louisiana Registered Serial Gold Bond, for \$1000, December 12, 1930. 9 1/2" x 13". Signed by Long, as governor. 2 small cancellation holes affect a fraction of one letter in his signature. **Fine**.

## 335 MANSFIELD, MIKE [JOHN F. KENNEDY]. †(\$50-100)

U.S. Senate Majority Leader; diplomat DS, 4 to, 1 page. Eulogy by Senator Mike Mansfield at the Bier of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy. The Rotunda - U.S. Capitol - Washington, D.C. November 24, 1963. On U.S. Senate stationery, a beautiful full-page tribute to the late president. Boldly signed in the lower blank margin. **Fine**.

## 336 MASEFIELD, JOHN E., 1878-1967. (\$60-80)

Poet Laureate of England. His works included "Salt Water Works", "Tragedy of Pompey the Great", "Phillip, the King" (drama) and numerous other poems, plays. TLS, 4 to, April 7, 1927, 1 page. Written from Boars Hill, Oxford, to Miss Deutsch, he thanks her for the gift of a novel she had written and that he is reading. (signed) J. Masefield. With Masefield's holograph addressed envelope. 2 pieces, **fine**. [2]

## 337 MAYORS OF NEW YORK CITY. †(\$70-100)

**HEWITT, ABRAM**, 1822-1903. Reform mayor of New York (1887-88) noted financier and manufacturer, father of Peter Cooper. ALS, 1 page, 8vo, Dec. 3, 1880, NYC, as business leader he writes re a pamphlet on evidence before a Labor Committee. **GAYNOR, WILLIAM J.**, 1849-1913. Anti-Tammany reform mayor of NYC. 1909-13. TLS, 1 page, 4 to, Brooklyn, March 22, 1893 to the "Evening Sun" editor, a lengthy complaint re an article in the newspaper: "...It is wholly false. No such things were said, and no scene occurred! It is a pure invention... Let me say in conclusion that there is no question of bribery in the Union street case..." On verso of the letter, an editor of the "Evening Sun" has penned, "This was written in your absence... If you can get time please see Gaynor and find out his real grievance... we would not willingly misrepresent any one..." 2 **Fine** political letters. [2]

## 338 MEIGS, M.C. / COOPER, PETER. (\$60-90)

Civil War Quartermaster **General M.C. Meigs**, who is credited by many with maintaining superior supply lines during the major battles that made possible the Union victory. DS, 4 to, Aug. 20, 1864, as Quartermaster General appointing his head of staff in New York. **Peter Cooper**, his superb bold, signature on 3" x 5" sheet of paper. 2 items. [2]

## 339 MILITARY LEADERS, U.S.A. (\$75-125)

**Gen. Carl Spatz** (1891-1974) Air Corps. The atomic bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki took place under his command. In 1964 he became Commander in Chief of Army Air Force. Photo signed, 10" x 8"; **Gen. W.C. Westmoreland** Army Chief of Staff until retirement in 1972. Photo signed, 10" x 8"; **Gen. James Van Fleet**, succeeded Gen. Ridgeway as Commander in Korea. FDC signed, Washington DC, 1945. Also, six autographs including **Maj. S.W. Butler**, U.S. Marines; **Gen. J.G. Harbord**, and others 9 items. [9]

## 340 MINNESOTA DOCUMENTS (19TH CENTURY). (\$35-50)

Consisting of early land deeds, mortgage contracts, early bank checks, invoices, etc. approximately 30 items [30]

## 341 MOFFAT, DAVID, 1839-1911. (\$75-125)

Early Colorado millionaire of 1860's, who became President of Denver's First National Bank; later owned over 100 mines in the West. Financed several Colorado railroads and later lost most of his money in a disastrous railroad venture. His famous 7-mile long "Moffat" tunnel through the Continental Divide was completed 17 years after his death. Stock certificate, signed by Moffat, as president, "Resurrection Gold Mining Co.", Colorado, 1906. Attractive vignette of working miners, with gold seal and border. **Fine**.

## 342 MOORE, HENRY. (\$75-125)

English sculptor and artist, with famous works in museums throughout the world. "Henry Moore's Sheep Sketchbook", signed and inscribed "To —, from Henry Moore, January 1984." Oblong, 4 to, 96 sketchbook pages including 4 in color. **Fine**.

## 343 MORTIMER, CHARLES G. [ROBERT F. KENNEDY] (\$50-75)

Former president and chairman of the General Foods Corporation. DS. A G.F. stock certificate signed by Mortimer, as president, certifying "Robert F. Kennedy as custodian for his son Joseph P. Kennedy II, a minor..." For 20 shares, December 13, 1957. **Fine**, with attractive General Foods vignette.

## 344 MOVIE ACTORS. (\$50-100)

First day cover signed by **Lillian Gish**, **Laurence Olivier**, **Mae Clarke**, and **Mickey Rooney**; postmarked Beverly Hills, CA, May 27, 1975, with stamp depicting movie maker D.W. Griffith.

## 345 MOVIE ACTORS. (\$35-500)

Photos signed: **Alan Alda**, **Richard Dreyfus**, **Dustin Hoffman**, **Mickey Rooney**; B & W, 10" x 8". **Fine**.

## 346 MOVIE ACTORS. (\$60-90)

Photos signed: **Bob Hope**, **Walter Matthau**, **Jason Robards**, **Jack Lemmon**. First 3 inscribed. All B & W, 9" x 7". **Fine**.

## 347 MOVIE ACTRESSES. (\$50-75)

**Angie Dickenson**, **Liza Minelli**, **Gina Lollobrigida**. Signed photos (3) B & W, 10" x 8".

## 348 MOVIE ACTRESSES. (\$40-60)

**Shirley MacLaine**, **Sophia Loren**, **Tatum O'Neal**, **Raequel Welch** (with **Bill Cosby**). 4 signed photos, B & W, 8" x 10".

## 349 MOVIE STARS. (\$90-150)

Three fine B & W photos signed, in scenes from their pictures: **Marlene Dietrich** (not inscribed); **Janet Gaynor** (not inscribed); and **Gene Kelly** in his famous umbrella scene from "Singin' in the Rain" (inscribed). (3).

## 350 MOVIE STARS' RECEIPTS. (\$75-125)

**Jimmy Stewart**, gasoline credit card receipt (12-2-79); **Rosemary Clooney**, cruise receipt (4-26-72); **Ray Bolger**, Bel-Air Country Club (9-26-79); and **Jack Cassidy**; Chevron receipt (5-10-74). Each receipt is clearly signed and well preserved. Largest is 7" x 4". 4 items. [4]

## 351 MUSICIANS (\$75-100)

**Fritz Kreisler**, signature on 7" x 5" photo (some very light staining and small piece missing from one corner, else quite nice). **Walter Damrosch**, signed card; **Raphael Joseffy** (1852-1915) famed pianist; and **Jose Iturbi**, small photo (probably a printed signature). 4 items. [4]

## 352 NAZI IDENTIFICATION CARDS [HIMMLER]. (\$60-100)

2 Nazi era documents: 1) A Nazi identification card, 16 mo, issued during the Hitler regime, signed H. Himmler, apparently printed, with blank spaces to be filled in by the bearer. 2) Card, 16 mo, for the pedigree of a "Nazi dog", a terrier, "Goetz von Rideisarm" showing his sex, parentage, breeder's name, etc. Berlin, Feb. 9, 1940. 2 items. [2]

## 353 NEAL, PATRICIA. (\$50-75)

A young Patricia, excellent vintage photo. Light stain upper left corner, else **fine**, 10" x 8", B & W.

## 354 NEVELSON, LOUISE, 1900-. (\$75-150)

Noted modern sculptor and painter. Her sculptures sometimes have a two-dimensional frontality, heightened by the uniform color of the printed surface. Photo, close-up of her facial features, black and white, 10" x 8". **Fine**.



- 355 **PARKER, ASA, 1805-1879.** (\$40-60)  
Built and held controlling interest in Lehigh Valley Railroad; founded Lehigh University in 1866. ALS, Letterhead, "Lehigh Valley RR Co.", March 9, 1866, 8 vo, 2 pages. "...now go in and elect conservative men and get the Union restored...the reforms you speak of are much needed and I trust the time will come when they will be made, but now is not the time..." Interesting post-Civil War political content. **Fine.**
- 356 **PENNSYLVANIA DOCUMENTS.** (\$75-150)  
**Simon Snyder**, DS, as governor of Penn. horizontal folio, August 3, 1811, Commission of a 2nd Lt. Few small holes and some foxing. **National Guard**: orders to report for duty, 1808, 1809 (3); **Title Searches** listings of real estate titles held by various owners dating from 1683 through 1842. Total of 6 pieces of early Pennsylvania.
- 357 **ROCKEFELLER, NELSON A., 1908-1979.** (\$60-100)  
Governor, New York State, 4 terms; Vice-President under Gerald Ford. TLS, as governor, 4 to, 1 page, on official letterhead, August 21, 1964, to a newspaper publisher in part, "...The opening of the Communications Center at Syracuse was an inspiring occasion and I was delighted to participate. It is really a great tribute to the alumni and faculty of the college..." **Fine.**
- 358 **ROOSEVELT, THEODORE, JR. / ANDREW, "ANDY".** (\$50-100)  
1) Card signed by son of President Roosevelt, "good luck to my fellow Scout, (signed) **Theodore Roosevelt**, March 25, 1937." 2) Photo signed on verso by **H.J. "Andy" Andrews**, of TWA, first pilot to fly passengers from New York to Los Angeles, Oct. 25, 1930. Photo shows the TWA plane, 2 1/2" x 3 1/2". Signs of discoloration, and verso glue traces. **2 items.** [2]
- 359 **SECRETARIES OF STATE, U.S.** (\$70-100)  
Signed photos: **George P. Shultz**; **Cyrus Vance**; **Henry Kissinger**; **Dean Rusk**; (Photo cover signed by Rusk and **Gen. Maxwell Taylor** on "Vietnam Hearings"). Full color and B & W. Rusk color photo is 6 1/2" x 5", others are 10" x 8". 5 autographs, **all Fine.** [4]
- 360 **SADLER, REINHOLD.** (\$40-60)  
Merchant in booming Nevada camps, became wealthy, and later served two different terms as Nevada's governor. Stock certificate signed, as president of "Eureka Tunnel Consolidated Mining Co."; July 22, 1884, Eureka, Nevada. Black on yellow, minor damp-stain. With biographical article. **2 items.** [2]
- 361 **SALISBURY, O.J., 1844-1907.** (\$75-100)  
Founded "Gilmer & Salisbury" with partner, later bought a share of Wells Fargo. Used his fortune to invest in Western mining ventures, hotels, and land. ALS, Salt Lake City, Feb. 9, 1892 on his business stationery, 2 full pages, 4 to, discussing his business enterprises; particularly his mining operations. Interesting content. **Fine.**
- 362 **ROGERS, ROY.** (\$40-60)  
Action pose, with pistol, B & W, 10" x 8". **Fine.**
- 362A **SAGE, RUSSELL, 1816-1906.** †(\$100-150)  
American financier, closely associated with Jay Gould in the New York Stock Exchange. Left his \$70,000,000 fortune entirely to his second wife. ALS, 1 1/4 pages, 8 vo, Nov. 1878 to "Dear Uncle Sam", in which he writes a rather detailed plan for having a meeting with his uncle. In part, "...I have an engagement from 3 to 3 1/2 o'clock to attend a Prair (sic) Service at 86th Street with some invited friends..." Holograph letters, not written by a secretary, by Sage are somewhat unusual. **Fine** condition.
- 363 **SCOTT, RANDOLPH.** (\$50-75)  
Superb photo, not inscribed, B & W, 10" x 8".
- 364 **SEWARD, WILLIAM (SIGNED PASSPORT).** (\$50-75)  
1) U.S. passport signed William H. Seward, as Secty of State, large folio, with description and signature of the Bearer, Francis Forbes. With attractive vignette, it is folded into 3" x 4" leather case, gold stamped; 2) 3" x 4" guide to "The Streets of New York", 1923, by Little Leather Library Corporation, 124 pp. **2 items.** [2]
- 365 **[SEWARD, WILLIAM H.]** (\$40-70)  
Copy of speech by Seward on the "Admission of Kansas" (to the Union), Feb. 29, 1860, before the U.S. Senate. Pamphlet, 8 vo, 8 pages, printed by the N.Y. Herald Tribune.
- 366 **SCIENTISTS.** †(\$75-100)  
**EDWARD TELLER**, physicist, educated in Germany, came to U.S. in 1935, instrumental in development of atom bomb. **VANNEVAR BUSH**, President of Carnegie Institution of Washington, Director of U.S. Office of scientific research and development, 1941, and was significantly involved with developing atom bomb. Autograph of each matted with a fine photograph, overall 15" x 12". **2 items. Fine.** [2]
- 367 **SMITH, ALFRED E., 1873-1944.** (\$30-50)  
Governor, New York State, four terms, and unsuccessful Democratic candidate for U.S. President. Check signed, Alfred Smith, as governor of N.Y. State check, Dec. 10, 1919, for a Spanish War pay refund, \$1.25. **Fine.**
- 368 **SPINNER, FRANCIS E.** (\$25-50)  
American banker and politician, member of U.S. House of Representatives, Treasurer of U.S., ALS, 8 vo, Mohawk Valley Bank, Mohawk, N.Y., Feb. 9, 1854, on blue stationery, enclosing remittance to settle account. Also includes Spinner's holograph envelope. **2 items.** [2]
- 369 **SPORTS: POUGHKEEPSIE REGATTA.** (\$100-150)  
Documents, dating from 1911, inclusive, all relating to the Poughkeepsie regatta, through the early 40's, when the annual event was moved to Lake Onondaga at Syracuse, N.Y. This collection, carefully filed and protected, year by year since 1911, contains letters from coaches, participants, etc., newspaper clippings and the programs of the annual event. Several hundred pieces. An unusual opportunity for the avid follower of college rowing.
- 370 **STOKOWSKI, LEOPOLD.** (\$65-90)  
Symphony orchestra conductor, photograph signed and inscribed, 10" x 8", 5 inch signature boldly signed on a striking profile photo with heavy yellow pencil. Photo by Pender of New York. Excellent.
- 371 **STONE, CHARLES P., 1824-1887.** (\$50-Up)  
Union general, who was imprisoned for 189 days, without charges although suspected of treason at Ball Bluff. Believed a target of enemies in Congress, Grant requested him for responsible military posts but was rebuffed. Carte-de-Visite "Gen. Stone & Daughter." written in another hand on lower margin. CDV was published by Anthony of New York from a photographic negative by Brady. **Fine** condition.
- 372 **STREISAND, BARBARA.** (\$50-75)  
Photo, 10" x 8", "Best regards, Barbara Streisand". B & W.
- 373 **VANDERBILT, CORNELIUS, 1843-1899.** (\$50-100)  
Railroad tycoon and philanthropist, grandson of the commander. LS, 1 page, on blackbordered stationery from the Grand Central Depot, New York, February 18, 1887. To Mr. Brainerd announcing a meeting of the "Special Committee of the Y.M.C.A.". **Fine.**
- 374 **VANDERBILT, CORNELIUS, JR.** (\$75-125)  
Noted travel authority, author and lecturer, great grandson of founder of New York Central Railroad and the Vanderbilt financial empire. Five letters signed by Vanderbilt regarding his various writing and publishing ventures, lecture fees, magazine articles, etc. Also personally signed resume of Vanderbilt and a color postcard showing Vanderbilt mansion, "The Breakers". An interesting group of related items.
- 375 **[WELLES, GIDEON], 1802-1878.** (\$30-55)  
Public official and political leader. Secretary of Navy in Lincoln's Cabinet. DS., folio, addressed to Gideon Welles, as controller for the State of Connecticut, postmarked, Norwich, CT, August 13, 1842, on integral address panel. Handwritten document signed, to the State of Connecticut from the selectmen of Norwich.
- 376 **WILLIAMS, WILLIAM, 1731-1811.** (\$50-75)  
Signer, one of four from Connecticut; delegate to both the Continental Congress and the Constitutional Convention. ADS, Lebanon, Ct., 9 Feb., 1787. Small section, 2" x 2", probably an endorsement cut from larger document, with a fine signature.

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Be it remembered that on this

cause was tried without any objection because  
of a defect of the record, and a verdict of  
guilty rendered by the jury, that thereupon the  
defendant moved in arrest of judgment, because  
the record of the court does <sup>not</sup> show that the  
indictment had been returned into court by  
the Grand jury, the indictment purporting to have

been found at the last previous term of the court  
and that appearing that the record of last term had never been filed, and  
and the back of the record being open, made in the cause at last term (New indictment  
court, & ~~the~~ the Attorney General entered a cross

motion to amend the record by the judges minutes  
or the docket of said previous term, which minutes  
showed that said indictment, had on the last  
day of said previous term, been returned into open  
court by the Grand jury, which cross motion the  
court sustained, amended the record accordingly,  
overruled the defendant's motion in arrest of  
judgment, and rendered judgment on the ver-  
dict, to wit: which <sup>& besides</sup> ~~indicts~~ of the court the  
defendant then & there excepts, and now prays  
that this his bill of exceptions be signed, sealed  
& made part of the record in the cause.

And it is now, accordingly,

L. Davis

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